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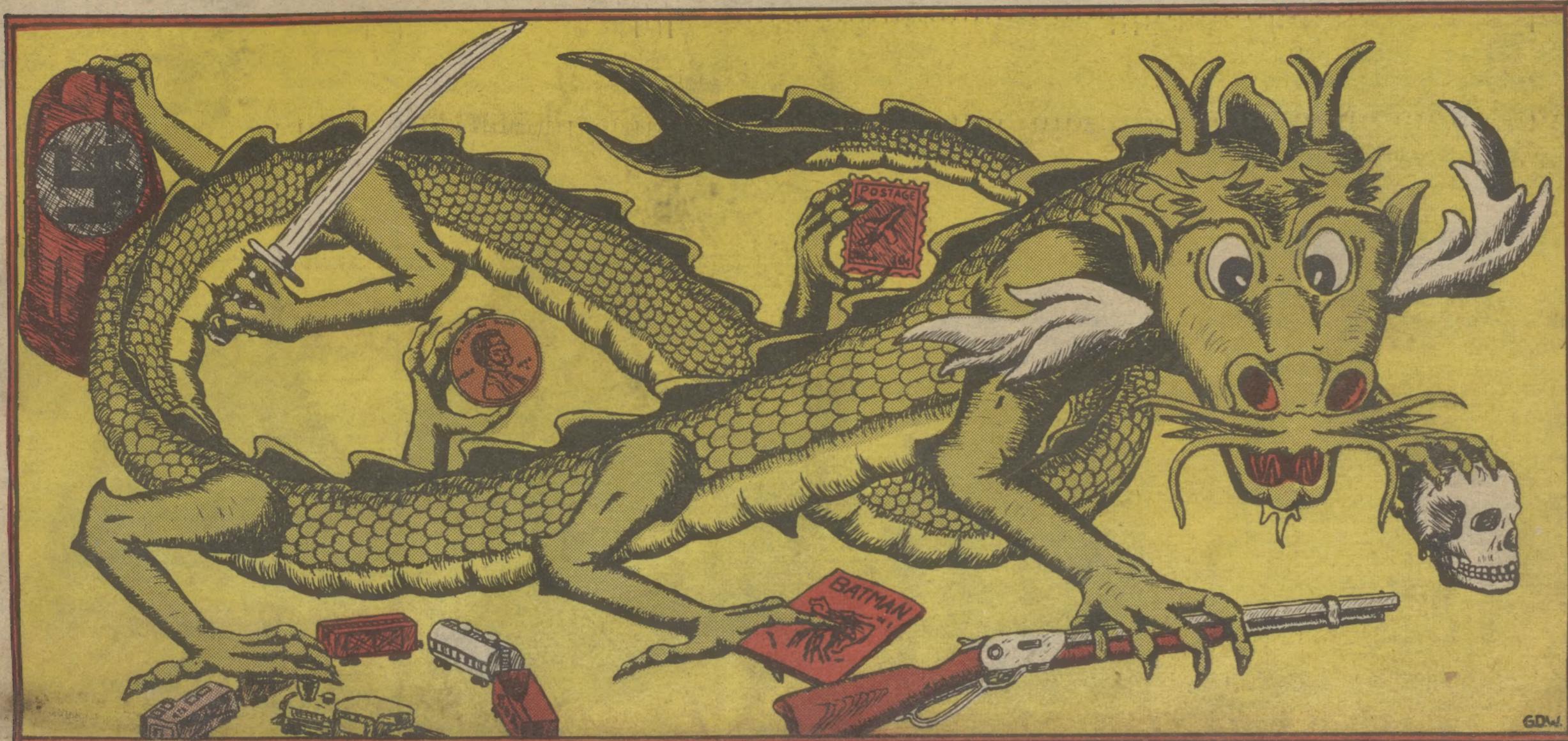
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CAN YOU NAME OUR NEW MASCOT PICTURED ABOVE?

HOWDY FOLKS!

WE ARE NOW TO THE POINT WHERE WE CAN SAY WE HAVE THE ALL-SERVICE NEWSPAPER FOR THE COLLECTOR'S COLLECTOR. WE WISH TO THANK THE 4250 NEW SUBSCRIBERS AND THE MANY ADVERTISERS WHO HAVE MADE THIS ISSUE EVEN LARGER. IF INTERESTED IN PUTTING YOUR AD WITH US, SEE THE LOW RATES ON PAGE TWO.

WITH THIS ISSUE COMES A FINE BONUS. THE PUBLICATION "CASH ON THE LINE" BY JOHN NOVAK WILL BE FOUND ON PGS. 9-10, 15-16. THIS PUBLICATION (C.O.T.L.) IS DEVOTED TO ORIENTAL NUMISMATICS. MR. NOVAK HAS, FOR FOUR YEARS, PUBLISHED C.O.T.L. FROM THE FAR EAST. WE HOPE HIS FINE WORK WILL REMAIN IN THE PAGES OF "COLLECTORS' DEN" IN FUTURE ISSUES. WELCOME, JOHN NOVAK.

LIKE MOST OF YOU, I'VE BEEN WATCHING THE MOON LANDING. SORT OF MAKES ME PROUD TO BE AN AMERICAN. DON'T KNOW WHAT IT WILL ALL LEAD TO BUT I CAN'T WAIT TO INCLUDE A LISTING OF LUNAR MINERAL SPECIMENS IN THESE PAGES.

WHAT KIND OF PEOPLE COLLECT? CAN I AFFORD TO COLLECT? WHAT SHOULD I COLLECT? THESE ARE SOME OF THE MANY QUESTIONS WE GET ASKED ALL THE TIME. THE ANSWERS ARE MANY AND VARIED BECAUSE THE TYPES OF PEOPLE ARE VARIED. WE HAVE CUSTOMERS FROM EVERY INCOME GROUP, ALL RACES AND NATIONALITIES AND BOTH SEXES.

WE ARE COUNSELLORS FOR THE BOY SCOUT, STAMP & COIN MERIT BADGES. SO WE GET MANY YOUNGSTERS THROUGH OUR DOORS SEEKING OUR SIGNATURE ON THAT BLUE PIECE OF PAPER THAT GETS THEM A BADGE. MOST OF THEM ARE ENTHUSIASTIC COLLECTORS WHO REMAIN WITH THE HOBBY THROUGH ADULTHOOD BUT A FEW ARE COLLECTORS OF JUST BADGES, NOT COINS OR STAMPS. THESE BOYS LET A RUN FOR THEIR MONEY FROM US. AS SOON AS WE HIT THEM WITH THE 3RD QUESTION OR SEE HOW THEY INTEND TO PRESENT THEIR REQUIREMENTS, WE KNOW JUST WHAT THEY'RE UP TO. THEY USUALLY DON'T STUDY OR EVEN SET UP A DISPLAY OR PRESENTATION. AFTER TWO TRIPS BACK TO US, THEY EITHER SEEK OUT ANOTHER COUNSELLOR OR GO FOR THE BASKET WEAVING MERIT BADGE.

THERE ARE MANY EXECUTIVES AND BUSINESS MEN WHO, AFTER A DAY OF PRESSURE AND DECISION MAKING, ESCAPE TO THEIR GUN COLLECTION OR ANTIQUE BOTTLE COLLECTION FOR A RELEASE OF PRESSURE. MANY DOCTORS WILL PRESCRIBE A COLLECTING HOBBY AS THE BEST CURE FOR MANY PROBLEMS.

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We'll call him "Den Dragon" until we get a better name from one of our readers. He was conceived on July 3rd. at 1:20 A.M. After a very short incubation period, he was born. The labor was painless but we paged for days. Finally, on July 18th, we saw him in full color! Thanks to Gene Warner's art work.

"Den Dragon" represents our many interests. As you can see, he too, is fond of all collecting fields. We had to adopt him as our Mascot.

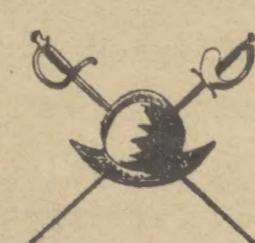
We badly need a good name for him. We will award the winner \$100.00 cash for the best answer accepted (as per the rules) by the Judges, (Our Staff).

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ANSWERS AND WINNERS TO "COLLECTORS QUIZ" Vol. 1 Issue 4.

Answer #1:
Captain Terror, first appeared in USA #2

First Place \$5.00 winner: R.S. Morehead
Second Place \$1.00 winner: J. Clark

Answer #2:
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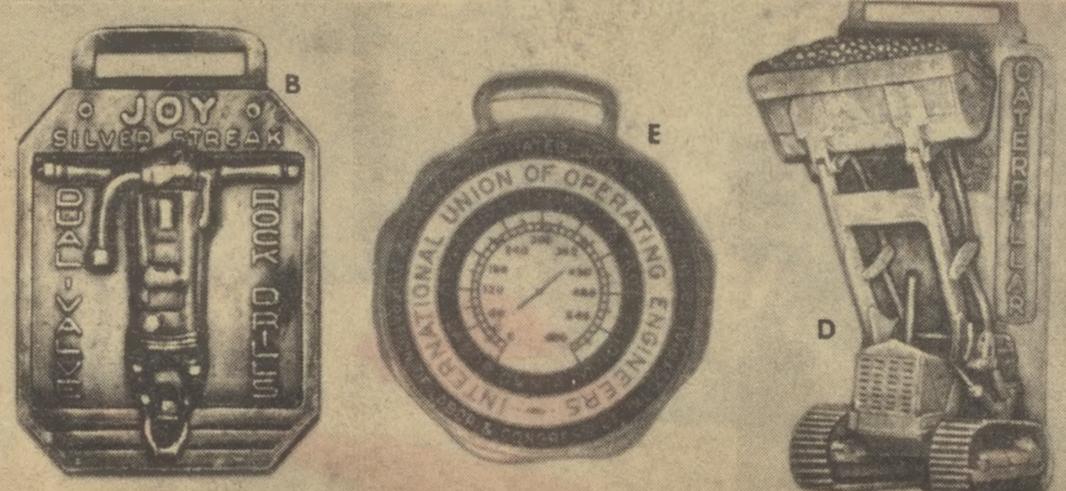
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A word about the sources used. I would have much preferred using Patrick D. Hogan's numbering and identification system exclusively. Unfortunately, as of yet not enough of you have it. And, besides, I left my copy in Ohio. I hate to use all of the following in order to make any sort of reasonable identification, but I must.

A.B. Coole, *Coins in China's History*, 3d edition, 1963.
 E. Kann, *Illustrated Catalog of Chinese Coins (Gold, Silver, Nickel and Aluminum)*, 1966 reprint.
 H.A. RAMSDEN, *Modern Chinese Copper Coins* 1962 reprint.
 S.C. Wong, *Rare Chinese Coins, (Cash on the Line 1969 reprint/revision)*.
 R.S. Yeoman, *A Catalog of Modern World Coins, 1850-1964*, 8th edition.

大清

COPPER COINS OF THE GREAT CH'ING DYNASTY

The following are 10- and 20-wen pieces of the Empire. The first series carries on the reverse the Chinese legend TA CH'ING T'UNG PI, "Copper Coin of the Great Ch'ing (Dynasty), the date (in the sexagenary cycle), and if a provincial issue, a special character in the center of the reverse.

I found it very difficult to grade coins for which no recognized criteria exist, and chances are we will not agree in every instance. It should balance out.

Coins minted by the Central Authority

- Empire, Y-8, 10-^{"cash"}, Tai-Ching Hu Poo, dated 1905, one only Fine 1.00
- Same, Y-8, 1907: Fair..... 15
Good..... 25 Very Good.... 35
Fine..... 50 Very Fine.... 75
and one only in XF for..... 1.00
- Same, 1909, 1 only in good.... 50
- Empire, Y-9, 20-^{"cash"}, dated 1907
Poor..... 10 Fair..... 15
Good..... 20 Very Good.... 30
5. Same, dated 1909 Good..... 35
Very Good.. 50 Fine..... 75
Very Fine..1.00 Extra Fine.... 1.50

Ten-wen with provincial mint-marks

- ANHWEI, Y-4, 1906, *huan* incuse. Good... 50 Very good... 75
Very Good (but polished).... 50
- ANHWEI? Mintmark is *huai* in relief. Yeoman illustrates it as Chingkang, Y-3. Coole says Anhwei, and Ramsden says Honan. Date is 1906. Fair... 50 Good... 75
VG... 1.50
- CHIHHLI, Y-14, 1906, *chth* incuse. VG... 50 Fine..... 75
one only in very fine..... 1.00
- FENGTIEN, Y-4, 1907. one only in very good..... 1.00
- FUKIEN, Y-6, Tai Ching Hu Poo 1906
Poor... 10 Fair..... 15
Good... 25 Very Good.... 50
Fine... 75 Very Fine.... 1.00
- HONAN, Y-4 1906 Poor..... 10
Fair... 15 Good..... 25
- HUNAN, Y-2 1906 Very Good... 50
Fine... 75 Very Fine... 1.00
- HUPEH, Y-6 1906 Fair..... 10
Good.... 15 Very Good.... 25
Fine.... 50 Very Fine.... 75
- KIANGNAN, Y-5 1906, *ning* incuse. Available in Good only..... 50
- KIANGNAN, Y-5 1906, *ning* in relief. Fair..... 45 Good..... 75
- KIANGNAN, Y-5 1907, character incuse Fair.... 15 Good..... 25
Very Good 35 Fine..... 50
One only in Very Fine..... 75
- KIANGNAN, Y-5, 1908, incuse Good.... 50 Fine..... 1.00
Very Fine.... 1.25
- KWANGTUNG, Y-2, 1907 Fine.... 1.50
- SHANTUNG, Y-3 1906 Fine.... 1.50
- SZECHUAN, Y-4, 1906
Fine.... 1.00 Very Fine.... 1.25
- SZECHUAN, Y-4, TU CHIH PU ("Board of Cross Payments", 1909. Fine.. 5.00

光緒

Another series of 10-wen coins contains the inscription KWANG HSU YUAN PAO on the reverse, indicating "The original(?) coin of the (Emperor) Kwang Hsu" who ruled from A.D. 1875 until 1909. The following are arranged by provincial mints. The mint is indicated, normally, with the Chinese characters, the Manchu script, and English. The latter is found on the obverse. Dating is often given in the sexagenary cycle method.

- ANHWEI, Y-2, ND Good..... 1.00
- CHEKIANG, Y-1, ND Style with rose-tte center. Fair..... 20
Good..... 35 Very Good.... 50
Fine..... 75 Very Fine... 1.00
- CHEKIANG, Y-1, ND, circled center. Fine..... 1.00 Very Fine... 1.75
- CHING-KIANG, Y-2, no date. Poor... 10 Fair..... 15
Good (rotated die)..... 50
- FENGTIEN, Y-1, brass 1905 Good... 50
- FENGTIEN, Y-1, brass 1904 UNC 7.00
- FUKIEN, Y-2, ND "Fukien Province" Fair... 15 Good..... 25
Very Good .50 Fine..... 75
Very Fine 1.00 VF(rotated die)1.50
- FUKIEN, Y-2, ND (F.K. CUSTOM HOUSE) Very Good .80 Fine..... 1.10
One only in Very Fine..... 1.50
- HONAN Y-1 Very Good.... 50
- HUNAN Y-1 Fine \$1.50 VF... 2.00
- HUPEH Y-1 Upper Dragon as seen on Yeoman, p. 98. Fair..... 15
Good... 25 Very Good.... 35
Fine.... 50 Very Fine.... 75
- HUPEH Y-1 Lower Dragon illustrated. Fair... 15 Good..... 25
Very Good .35 Fine..... 50
Very Fine .75 Extra Fine... 1.00
(Both above types have rosette center on the reverse).
- HUPEH Y-1 Upper Dragon, with square inside circle on rev. Good .75
- HUPEH Y-1 Cast brass counterfeit. Fair..... 2.50

has the following for sale!

- KIANGSU Y-3 1903 rotated die Good.50
- KIANGSU Y-3 ND " " " VG .35
- KIANGSU Y-3 ND Very Good.... 35
- KIANGSU Y-3 1905 rotated die VG .40
" " F .60
- KWANGTUNG Y-1 Very Good.... 60
Fine... 75 Very Fine.... 1.00
- KWANGTUNG Y-1 [One Cent, Undated] Very Good .60 Fine..... .75
Very Fine 1.00 Extra Fine 1.25

COINAGE FROM KWANGTUNG PROVINCE

- Y-8 One Cent Brass 1915 Fine 2.50
- Y-8 One Cent Brass 1916 Fine 2.50
- Y-10 Five-hsien 1919 VF 2.50
- Y-12 Two-hsien 1912 VF 1.00
- Y-12 1919 VF 1.00
- Y-12, 1920 Fine .75
Very Fine 1.00 Extra Fine 2.00
- Y-12, 1921 VF 1.00 XF 2.00
- Y-12, 1922 Extra Fine 2.00
- Y-15 1929 one-hsien Fine 1.00
Extra Fine 2.75 Uncirculated 3.50

71. Y-A7. 3.6 candareens = "five cents" (Personally, I really don't like the idea of "cents". I only use the term because my eyes are so bad I can't read the inscriptions anymore.)

Fair .35 Fine 1.25
Very Fine 1.50

72. Y-B7. 7.2 candareens = "ten cents" (Come to think of it, I like candareens even less than I like cents).

Fair .35 Good .50
Very Good .75 Fine 1.00

Very Fine 1.50 Extra Fine 1.75
Uncirculated 3.00

73. Y-C7. Yi ch'ien ssu fen ssu li (I said it and I'm glad).

Very Good 1.00 Very Fine 2.00
Extra Fine 3.00

[All three, 71,72, and 73 coins have the KWANG HSU reign title].

74. Y-C7, with the HSUAN TUNG reign title. Extra Fine 4.50

75. FUKIEN "Martyr's Memorial" [see page 96 in the Brown Book]. C-16, 1928, 20 "cents". My piece will grade out between VF-XF. Priced high, but I think I'm closer to the truth. 12.50



IT'S POTPOURRI TIME!

COINS OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

I just took a long look at some Republic coppers, and now have a violent headache to match my bad eyesight. So, to help... some odds and ends....

Coins issued by the Central Authority.

- Y-7, 1916, one-fen XF..... 3.00
- Y-16, Yuan Shih-k'ai in military uniform. One-chiao F..... 1.00
Very Fine 1.50 Extra Fine.. 2.00
- Y-17, Yuan Shih-k'ai, two-chiao Fine.. 1.50 Very Fine... 2.00
- Y-18, Yuan Shih-k'ai, chung yuan, 1914 Extra Fine.. 4.00
[All coins, # 48 thru 50, bear the same date, 1914.]
- SZECHUAN, Y-12 10-^{"cash"} 1912 brass Very Good .75 Fine..... 1.00
- SZECHUAN, Y-23 100-^{"cash"} 1913 brass Fine to VF.. 1.50
- HOPEI (Japanese Puppet State) Y-4 on page 97. One-chiao Fine... 1.25
- MANCHURIAN PROVINCES, [page 105 in Brown Book] Y-5, one-fen 1929. Very Fine... 4.50
- MANCHURIAN PROVINCES, under the Empire, Y-2, HSUAN TUNG YUAN PAO, silver "20¢" Very Fine.. 3.50
- HUA HSING BANK (Japanese Occupation in Shanghai) 10-fen copper-nickel, dated 1940. Fine..... 1.00
- YUNNAN, Y-10, one-hsien 1923. F. 2.50
- REPUBLIC Y-20, one-chiao 1926 silver Fine 3.50 Extra Fine 12.75
- Republic Y-21, two-chiao 1926 silver Fine... 2.50 Very Fine... 4.50
Extra Fine..... 6.00
- [This is the dragon and phoenix, and is listed -- albeit the photos are upside down -- in the Brown Book under The Republic. Kann, page 235, says they were made by the Central Mint for CHIHLI -- Hopeh -- Province. Kann # are 682 and 681.]



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241 - SAME (INDIAN CENT) 2.50

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HOWDY FOLKS! CONT'D.

IN THIS DAY AND AGE, PEOPLE HAVE FEWER HOURS IN THEIR WORK WEEKS. THIS GIVES THEM MORE TIME TO DEVOTE TO A HOBBY. COLLECTING APPEALS TO MOST PEOPLE BECAUSE OF THE PERFECTLY NORMAL REQUIREMENT OF PEOPLE TO OWN OR POSSESS SOMETHING. WITH MORE TIME ON THEIR HANDS, THEY HAVE TIME TO ACQUIRE, STUDY AND DISPLAY THEIR PET HOBBY. YOU MAY BE A SALESMAN, HOUSEWIFE, TV STAR OR A 6TH GRADE STUDENT BUT YOU CAN STILL COLLECT SOMETHING.

THOSE WHO WONDER IF THEY CAN AFFORD TO COLLECT MIGHT KEEP A COUPLE POINTS IN MIND. THE BUILDING OF A COLLECTION, IF DONE CAREFULLY, WILL GIVE YOU A SAVINGS ACCOUNT OR INVESTMENT HOLDING THAT HAS A VALUE WHILE SPORTS, EATING OR MOVIES AS A PASTIME HAVE NOTHING LEFT OVER. A PERSON WHO SMOKES WILL SPEND \$300. TO \$400. PER YEAR. MANY FINE COLLECTIONS HAVE BEEN PUT TOGETHER ON A MUCH SMALLER BUDGET WITH A HANDSOME INCREASE IN VALUE THROUGH THE YEARS. WE HAVE CUSTOMERS WHO SPEND AS LITTLE AS \$1.00 A WEEK THAT HAVE MORE PLEASURE COLLECTING THAN THE MILLIONAIRE WHO CAN BUY A COMPLETE COLLECTION IN ONE SWEEP (AND USUALLY DOES). THERE IS MUCH SPORTSMANSHIP INVOLVED IN COLLECTING. SOME COLLECTORS, BY TRADING OR "SCROUNCING" AROUND CAN SATISFY THE URGE OF COMPLETING A COLLECTION WITHOUT INVESTING A PENNY.

THE ONE LINE THAT COVERS THE QUESTION; CAN YOU AFFORD TO COLLECT? IS "DON'T BITE OFF MORE THAN YOU CAN CHEW". KEEP IT A HOBBY, NOT A JOB.

NOW YOU SAY WHAT SHOULD I COLLECT? THIS IS A BIGGER QUESTION THAN YOU MAY THINK. A DRUG SALESMAN MAY COLLECT ANTIQUE PATENT MEDICINE BOTTLES, A SAILOR OR MERCHANT SEAMAN MAY COLLECT SHIPS ON STAMPS, COINS OR ART WORKS. A FORD AGENCY MANAGER COLLECTS ANYTHING PERTAINING TO THE FORD MOTOR CAR CO. (PRE-1936). MANY PEOPLE TIE THEIR COLLECTION IN WITH THEIR BIRTH YEAR BY SEEKING ANYTHING DATED THAT YEAR.

TO SELECT YOUR FIRST FIELD (OR A NEW FIELD), DON'T DIVE IN. FIND WHAT LOOKS INTERESTING TO YOU, THEN FIND ITS' DRAWBACKS. SEE IF YOUR BUDGET WILL HANDLE IT. IF EVERYTHING CHECKS OUT, GO AHEAD ---- ENJOY IT.

Stan K. Rupert

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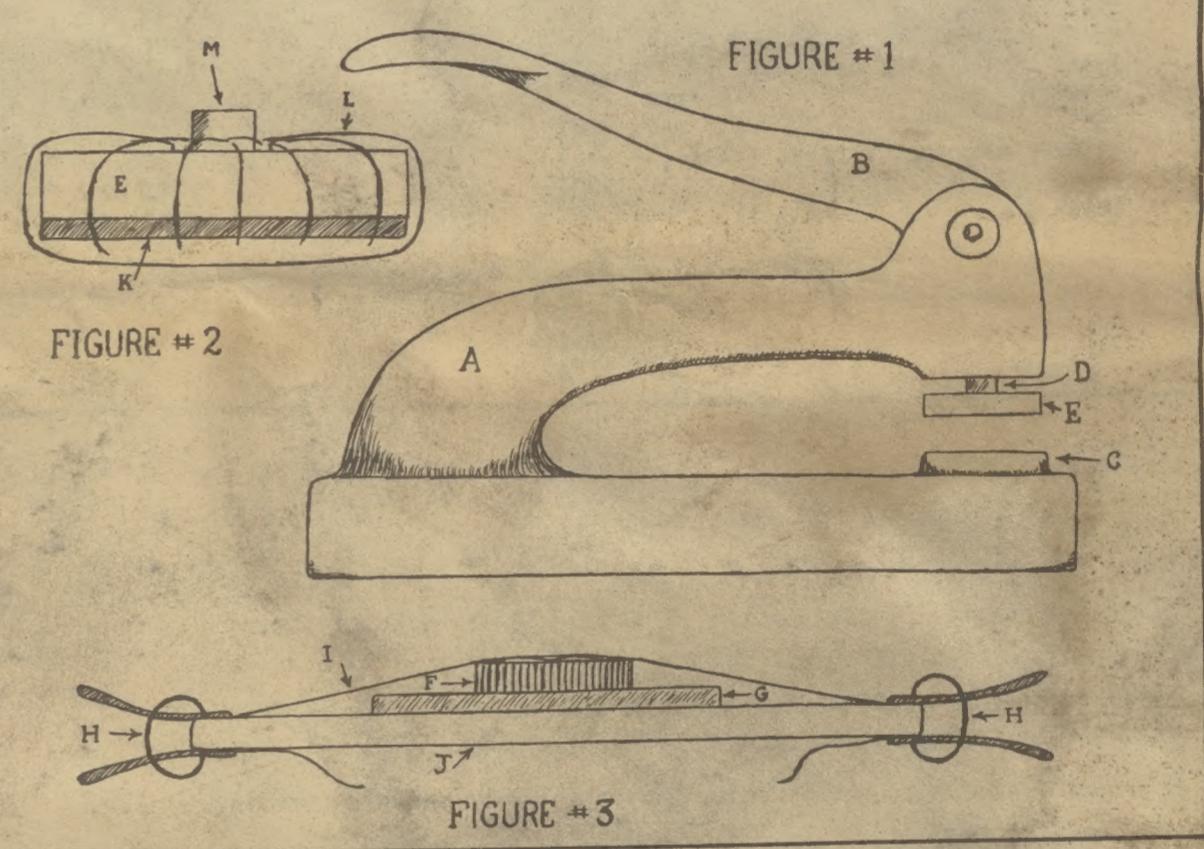
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FINE ILLUSTRATIONS AT 1/10 TH. OF A CENT EACH. . . .

AN ANCIENT METHOD REFINED.....Pencil Rubbings or Foil Impressions

With the cost of photos, generally high and time consuming, I was forced into finding an inexpensive way to illustrate coins, tokens and medals at a cost that would not exceed the value of an item being illustrated. When you have to list a token in a pricelist, if the token sells for only 15¢, you can't spend 35¢ worth of film, 50¢ worth of descriptive time, you just can't afford to list it. This is where pencil rubbings come into it.

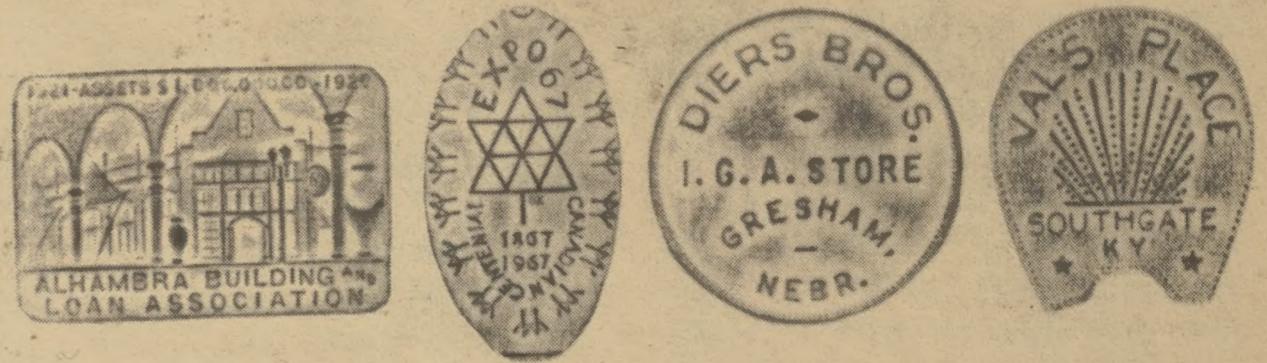
To start with, you need ingredients; the main one of which is a Seal Press such as a Notary Public may use (sample illustrated). The Seal Press can usually be found in junk shops, used for as little as \$1.00 or so. If, like myself, you don't have the time to look for one or scrounge around, then buy one new at a Rubber Stamp Outlet or Office Supply Distributor. Cost is about \$22.50 for a nice one. The one I use is 10" long, 7" high, 3" wide. The Seal Plate & Base is 2 1/4" in diameter. Next, a few pieces of rubber (strips from a tube repair kit work fine). Now a metal slide 1 1/16" - 1 1/8" thick, 2 1/2" X 4" aluminum or copper or whatever is handy. Next a rubber stamp pad with black ink. Don't crack up yet, get an old white glove from your wife's Easter Sunday rejects. You will need to cut the fingers off. Find one that fits over your index finger firmly, the fewer seams it has, the better. Now heavy spring clip (paper clip). Lets see... Oh yea, we now need tissue paper. try a few grades or thicknesses for preference but I use Air Mail "Flightex" onion skin, light weight bond with a funny looking mailman racing an airplane (and beating it) on the front. For foil impressions, regular aluminum foil (non quilted) is all you need. By now your wondering what in H you use all this stuff for. Let's find out.....



First, round base plate (C) must be blank (if an old seal is mounted there, it can be knocked off or melted off leaving blank table). The table (C) on mine has two holes, doesn't bother a thing. Now take seal (E) from drive shaft (D). This also must be blank. A round metal disc. can be mounted over old seal with Epoxy or a new blank seal can be bought to fit. Cut from your piece of rubber, a round disc the same diameter as (E). Apply rubber cement to surface of (E) and newly cut rubber (K). Attach (K) to (E), allow to dry securely. Now take piece of soft cotton or linen cloth (L), wrap securely around (K) and base of post (M). Draw tight, glue or tape can be used on loose ends on top to hold in place, (L). Now replace into shaft (D). Now to base slide (J) on the center of this 2 1/4" X 4" metal plate, mount another rubber disc (G) - (Same diameter as (E)).

Would you believe your ready to go?? Not quite. A few practice tries are required to get the "Touch".

Lay coin or token subject (F) on center of slide and (G), cut strip of tissue (I) wider than coin. Clip end of strip over end of slide (H), draw tight over coin (F) to other end, clip there also. Center subject (F) on table under seal (E), push handle (B) down firmly, (count to ten or so) raise handle, with your index finger, rub tip over rubber stamp pad (medium ink), rub same over impression clearly raised in the tissue paper.



By now you get the idea so now you try degrees of inking, pressure, rubbing, etc. to get the ultimate. Any questions?

For foil impressions, use piece of tissue between foil and seal (E) to prevent sticking.

If I can be of additional help or if you fail to understand any of this, let me know. Examples are illustrated below of various "Pencil Rubbings" made by the described method.

Article by Stanley K. Rupert

ALMANZAR'S COINS OF THE WORLD - CONTINUED



GERMAN EAST AFRICA Sten G121-H One Rupie, Nov. 1, 1915. Fine
 Sten G122-A One Rupie, Feb. 1, 1916. Fine
 Sten G120-A Five Rupien, June 15, 1905 (Catalogs 7.50) About VG
 Sten G120-D Fifty Rupien, June 15, 1905 (Catalogs 20.00) Abt Gd
 Same, Very Good

GREAT BRITAIN "English Proof and Pattern Crown Size Pieces 1658-1960"
 by Howard A. Linecar and Alex G. Stone. A book highly recommended
 for use by advanced collectors of British coins
 Craig-21 One Penny 1797, small "Cartwheel". About Very Fine
 Craig-23 Two Pence 1797, the famous "Cartwheel". VG 5.00, Abt XF



GREECE Sten G267-C paper money, 50 Drachmai, Bank of Greece
 Trapeza Tes Ellados, January 1, 1941 (Catalogs 1.50) VG
 Sten G271-K paper money, 100 Drachmai, Trapeza Tes Ellados, July 1,
 1955 (Catalogs 4.50) Very Good



GUATEMALA Sten G314 paper money, "El Banco de Guatemala", two loco-
 motives on obv. 5 Pesos, April 17, 1914 (Catalogs 12.00) Fine
 VF 3.50, XF
 Same, 100 Pesos (1915-1920) (Cats. 35.00) VG 6.50, F 8.00, VF
 Sten G315-C paper money, "Banco de Occidente en Quezaltenango"
 One Peso, August 1, 1914 (Cats. 4.00) VF 1.75, XF
 Same, 20 Pesos, January 15, 1918 (Cats. 20.00) VG
 Sten G320-1 paper money, "El Banco Americano de Guatemala" One
 Peso, January 26, 1923, XF
 Y-7, Elizondo type 10, #103, One Peso 1859, Bust of Carrera,
 a key type coin, scarce in any condition. F-VF but holed
 Y-56, Elizondo type 14, #117, One Peso 1872P VF-XF 27.50, XF
 Same, #118, 1873P short tail feathers, Very Fine
 Same, #119, 1873P normal tail feathers, Almost VF
 Y-70 Five Centavos 1881, Fine but holed 3.00, nice VF 23.50, XF
 Y-71 Ten Centavos 1881, XF

HAWAII Y-3 1/2 Dollar 1883, Strong XF 12.50; Y-4 1/2 Dollar 1883, Unc
 ISLE OF MAN Craig-8, 1/2 Penny 1839 VG 1.75, Fine 2.95, XF
 Unc. with 75% brilliance

JERSEY Y-9 1/24 Shilling 1909, scarce one year type. Gd 50¢, Fine
 VF 2.25, XF 3.75, AU 5.75, Unc (rare in this condition)
 Y-10 1/12 Shilling 1909 (Also one year type coin) Fine 1.50, VF
 XF 3.25, AU 4.75, Uncirculated
 Y-22 1/4 Shilling 1957 VF 15¢, XF 20¢, AU 30¢, BU

LITHUANIA Y-8 5 Litai 1925 VF 17.25; Y-14 10 Litai 1938 XF 25.00, Unc
 MALACCA Craig-202 One Keping (1831) Fine 2.95, VF

MALTA Craig-61 1/3 Farthing 1835 Gem BU, rare so choice
 Y-1 1/3 Farthing 1844 AG 3.50, Fine 16.25, Unc. with much luster

MOMBASA Y-1 One Pice (1/2 Anna) 1888 Fine 65¢; Y-3 1/2 Rupee 1890H AU+
 Y-4 1/2 Rupee 1890H XF 15.00; Y-5 One Rupee 1888H VF 12.25, XF

MONGOLIA Y-7 50 Mongo (1925) Real nice XF
 Y-8 One Tukhrik (1925) XF 39.50, AU

NEW GUINEA Y-5 1 Shilling 1935 or 1936 Fine 50¢, VF 65¢, XF 85¢, AU
 Unc. 2.25; Y-10 1 Shilling 1938 VF 55¢, XF 70¢, Unc
 1945 XF 65¢, AU 1.00, Unc

NEW ZEALAND Y-14 1/2 Crown 1940 Centennial Commem. AU 19.50, BU

PALESTINE Y-1 1 Mil 1927 Fine 25¢, VF 40¢, XF 85¢; 1935 VF
 1937 VF 1.00, XF 1.65; 1939 VF 50¢, XF 75¢; 1941 VF 60¢, AU+

Y-1942 Fine 20¢, VF 30¢, XF
 Y-2 2 Mils 1927 VF 15¢, VF 50¢, XF 80¢; 1941 Fine 45¢, XF

Y-1942 VF 65¢, VF-XF 1.65, XF
 Y-3 5 Mils 1927 Fine 40¢; 1935 VF 65¢; 1939 VF 65¢, Uncirculated

Y-4 10 Mils 1927 XF 1.55; 1933 VF 2.50; 1935 VF 1.75, XF
 1937 XF 3.50; 1939 XF 3.25; 1940 VG 35¢, F-VF 1.00, XF

Y-5 20 Mils 1935 Very Fine
 Y-5a 20 Mils 1942 Very Fine

Y-6 50 Mils 1935 VG 40¢, VF 1.25, XF 2.50, AU-Unc 5.00, Unc

Y-7 100 Mils 1935 Very Fine

PARAGUAY Un Guarani paper money, "Banco Central Del Paraguay"
 March 25, 1952. Unc
 Y-29 300 Guarani 1968, silver commemorative crown. Uncirculated

PERU Y-22, Elizondo type 21b, #201, 1 Sol 1890TF VF 3.25, XF
 AU 5.50; Same, #203, 1892TF Fine 2.25, VF 2.85, XF 3.85, AU
 4.85
 Y-22, Elizondo type 21c, #205, 1893TF F 2.75, VF 3.75, XF 5.00, AU
 6.25
 Same, #206, 1894TF Fine 2.65, VF 3.65, XF 4.50, AU 5.50, Unc
 7.50
 Y-41, Elizondo type 25, #220, 1 Sol 1923 VG 1.15, Fine 1.40, VF
 1.65
 Same, #225, 1926 VG 1.15, Fine 1.40, Very Fine
 1.65

POLAND 50 Zlotych paper money, "Bank Polski" Warsaw, 1929. Unc 1.00

RUSSIA 5 Roubles paper money, 1909, VG 20¢, Fine 30¢, Very Fine 40

SAILANA (INDIA NATIVE STATE) Y-2 1/4 Anna 1912 Head of George V. BU 7.50

SALVADOR Y-9 10 Centavos 1892 RARE one year type coin. Nice F-VF 45.00
 Y-10 20 Centavos 1892, scarce one year type. F+ 16.50, XF 32.50
 Y-4 50 Centavos 1892, scarce "Flag" half peso. Fine 15.50, F-VF
 XF (rare in this condition) 17.50
 55.00

SIERRA LEONE Craig-1 One Cent 1796, Fine 17.50

SOUTH AFRICA Y-8 1/2 Pond gold, 1895 single shaft on wagon, nice XF 55.00
 Y-3 6 Pence 1894 Gd 30¢; 1896 F 1.00, VF 1.65; 1897 F 1.00, VF
 Unc 6.50; Y-4 1 Shilling 1892 VF 2.50; 1896 VG 90¢, F 1.50, VF
 2.50
 1897 Fine 1.45, VF 2.25
 Y-5 2 Shillings 1892 Gd 85¢, VG-F 2.25, F-VF 4.75; 1896 or 1897 F
 2.25
 Y-6 2 Shillings 1892 VF 6.50; 1894 F-VF 4.25
 Y-48 5 Shillings 1948 VF 2.50, XF 2.75 (10 pcs XF 25.50), AU
 4.25
 2.45



Y-56 5 Shillings 1952 Fine 1.75, VF 2.35, XF 2.75, 10 pieces XF 25.50
 Unc 6.50, Proof 12.50

SOUTHERN RHODESIA Y-19 1 Shilling 1941 VF-XF 2.75; 1944 VF-XF 2.15

SOVIET CENTRAL ASIA Y-2 25 Roubles (1920) XF 35.00

TIBET Y-1 1/4 Rupee (1903) Quite rare, Very Fine 35.00
 Y-13 1 Tangka (1948) Fine 1.10, VF 1.50



UNITED STATES George Washington silver medal pictured above, 30 mm.
 "The Constitution is Sacredly Obligatory on All" XF-AU 32.50

URUGUAY Y-23 One Peso 1917, head of Artigas. F 13.00, VF 17.50, XF 24.50



Y-39 10 Pesos 1961 "Gauchos" commemorative, scarce. Unc 2.35



VATICAN Bronze medal, 38 mm, "ALEX VII PONT MAX A IX", XF-AU 27.50
 Silver medal, 43 mm, holed at top. "SANCTA HELENAF UND ATRIX
 ECCLESIA, SEDE VACANTE ANNO 1715", XF-AU 45.00

ZANZIBAR Y-1 1 Pesa A.H. 1299 (= 1882 A.D.) VG 65¢, Fine 95
 Y-2 1 Pesa A.H. 1304 (= 1887 A.D.) Fine 1.50

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COLLECT JAPANESE COINS OF MEIJI WITH CAUTION !

The death of the *KEIO* Emperor coincided with the demise of the Tokugawa Shogunate and the complete collapse of the feudal society that had been perpetuated through a policy of isolation from the rest of Asia and the world. When *MUTSUHITO* became the Emperor *MEIJI* in 1868, his ascension served as the catalyst that set in motion Japan's return to the international scene and internal modernization.

None of this was very obvious in 1868, and both the coinage and the documentation concerning the coinage reveals this only too clearly.

Three numismatic factors must always be kept in mind by the collector interested in the coinage of the *MEIJI* Era -- an era that began in confusion, civil war and western interference, and which ended in 1912 with Japan a strong and at least superficially a modern state. One should expect to find (1) unreliable mintage figures, (2) large numbers of error coins and varieties, and (3) a goodly number of pattern pieces.

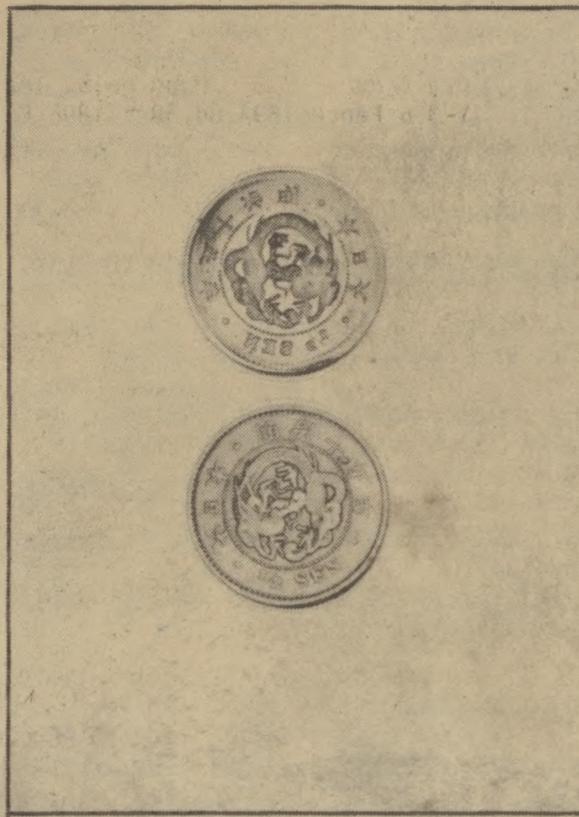
There are at least four sources for Japanese mintage figures available to the collector in Japan today. These books are strictly coin catalogs, and quite frankly, borrow rather heavily from each other. There are two coin catalogs available in English, and these works have borrowed from the Japanese. *THESE MINTAGE FIGURES CANNOT BE ACCEPTED AT FACE VALUE BY THE COLLECTOR!*

In actual fact, coins with one date were often made in years other than that published on the coin. Mintage figures for, say 1881, were probably totals for that year, but any old number of dies (for 1880, 1879, etc., etc.,) could have been used in addition to, or instead of, the year 1881. Most surprising to some collectors will be the news that *NO* coins were minted in the year 1870 -- although a variety of coins do have that year-date on them!

If the collector knew that *x* number of 1870 coins were produced, no matter in what year he would still be satisfied. Unless latter day restrikes are involved (and they are not), the actual year of mintage is of less importance than the total number produced. However, the collector cannot be sure that even an accurate count is available here.

John A. Kromas once prepared a short article on the early *Meiji* coins, using mint figures "from the official reports of the Osaka Mint for 1871 to 1875." He indicated that according to these figures, the Twenty Yen gold piece dated 1870 was struck in 1872 for a total of 42,845 pieces, and in 1873 with 3,251 pieces, or a total number of 46,096. Most Japanese coin catalogs indicate 46,139 pieces in 1870. The two sets of figures are remarkably close in this instance. The example, however, very graphically illustrates almost all of the problems and pitfalls that await the collector in the United States who has been used to accurate and revealing mint statistics.

Quite obviously there are also going to be varieties in coins of the same date (but perhaps not minted in the same year). For the first design Fifty Sen silver coin, there are three diameters one might find: 32.55mm, 32.15mm, and 31.2mm. This coin was struck with two dates, *Meiji*-3rd year (1870) and -4th year (1871). Besides the differences in diameter, there are four varieties of the 1871 coin generally recognized by Japanese numismatists - two in the larger diameters (where the character *hon* 本 is isolated as being different) - and 2 in the 31.2 diameter based on the size of the dragon. There may even be others, not yet recognized, because in the early years reworked and overworked dies were commonplace.



There are examples in the early Japanese coinage of almost every conceivable error known to the minting process. BROCKAGE pieces are easily obtained by collectors, although usually at rather high prices. Brockage coins exist for each of the four copper denominations that were initiated after 1874. (Brockage refers to a coin, one side of which has a negative image of the other side. In the minting process, a blank is placed between the obverse and reverse dies, and the coin struck. Brockage occurs when, after one coin having been so struck, it does not kick out of the collar, and remains when a new blank comes into position. The blank rests on the finished coin. The one die will strike the blank properly and produce the expected results, but the other die merely hits against the first coin which in turn hits into the blank -- and leaves a negative impression on the blank). In addition to bimetallic pieces (which for Japanese coins are found with both obverse and reverse varieties for all copper pieces of the *Meiji* era), there are also examples of complete blanks. Some of these have completely worked rims (with reeding, etc.) and edges and others have no work on them at all. One would also suspect the whole gamut of clipped planchets, although the Japanese are not noted for collecting these, and the present writer cannot recall ever having seen one for the *Meiji* coinage.

The knowledge that a great many patterns were suggested and made in some quantity (even if difficult to acquire today) is another problem to the collector. Not that he is required to own any patterns, it's just when an "odd" piece shows up -- he might be willing to believe that it is a pattern -- rather than a fantasy or a poorly made counterfeit.

COWRIES, ANYONE?

While browsing through *The Shell Book* by Julia Ellen Rogers (published in Boston in 1908) I found out that a Hindu mathematics book of the 7th century A.D. had the following problem: "The $\frac{1}{2}$ of $\frac{1}{16}$ of $\frac{1}{5}$ of $\frac{3}{4}$ of $\frac{2}{3}$ of $\frac{1}{2}$ of a dramma was given to a beggar by one from whom he asked an alms; tell me how many cowry shells the miser gave." Same book says that Marco Polo found cowries in Yunnan. Also, did you know? In Africa in 1908 $2\frac{1}{2}$ strings of cowries = one English penny, while 40 shells = one string. 50 strings = 1 head, and ten heads = 1 bag. 3 heads (6,000) = \$1. Also, it took between 60,000 and 100,000 cowries to buy a young wife (or \$20-\$40). An older wife (I knew you were going to ask) was only \$6, or 20,000 cowries. How 'bout that for your file of useless information?

Japanese numismatists are very sensitive about counterfeit coins, and often their national pride is hurt when one even suggests that one of their countrymen might be making phonies. However, reference coins are perfectly legitimate and are not counterfeits. Reference coins (sankohin in Japanese) are reproductions of real coins. They are advertised as reference copies, even though most of them do not bear a warning on them that they are not genuine. The basic assumption which is made is that anyone can tell the difference. Well, anyone can -- anyone who has ever seen the original, anyone who is fairly conversant with Japanese coins, anyone who is reasonably willing to carefully study the subject before he buys.

The illustration below is a reduction of a Japanese postcard. It very plainly advertises four Japanese one-yen coins of the *Meiji* period. All four coins are identified as reference copies, and the per coin price is only 1,000 yen, or \$2.80! The top piece is dated 1875, the second is a trade dollar of 1875, the third coin is the 1870 one-yen, and the last copy coin in the series bears the date 1878. What a group of coins!



(This subject will be continued in a later issue, with some concrete ideas on how to enjoy collecting *Meiji* coins).

CASH ON THE LINE RELOCATES TO TEXAS; NEWSPAPER FORMAT ADOPTED AS INTERIM MEASURE

CASH ON THE LINE (abbreviated as COTL) is an independent periodical devoted exclusively to Oriental numismatics. The purpose of publication, simply stated, is to provide an English-language vehicle for the dissemination of information about Oriental numismatics. COTL is solely owned and edited by John A. Novak. It has been published in a variety of shapes and sizes, and has variously been printed by mimeograph, ditto process, xerox-offset and photo-offset. The first issues were printed on Okinawa in early 1965. In late 1966 COTL appeared from Misawa, Japan, and the first commercially produced copy was made on Okinawa in December, 1967. To date there have been 61 regular and four special issues. The 1969 subscription fee of five dollars paid for six issues; nos 57 thru 61, and a reprint special of S.C. Wong's *HARIB CHINESE COINS*. All six items have been delivered to subscribers and the rolls were closed, according to the original plans, until the 1970 series. The present newspaper format is both an

COTL SPECIAL AUCTION

A SPECIAL CASH ON THE LINE AUCTION. During the five years I spent in the Far East, I had the opportunity of digging coins out of the ground, buying them from the dealers, antique and junk shops, and even bidding for them on the Japanese auctions. I have a reasonably good idea what some of these "rusty washers" are really worth. So, when Stan Rupert agreed to let me put on a special auction of my own, within the pages of CASH ON THE LINE (but still within the confines of his own auction), I insisted on being allowed to include MINIMUM BIDS. In his auctions, as of now anyway, there are no minimums as such, although owners are allowed to put a reserve on any coin they own. And while the phrase "no ridiculous bids accepted", I just what to know what IS a ridiculous bid? Ridiculous in the eyes of (a) the owner, (b) the auctioneer, or (c) the bidder????? My minimums have been established to let you know what I think would be ridiculous. Now, if you think I'm too high, you'll forgive the pleasure of bidding, naturally. I'm sure that if you think I'm too low, you'll be delighted to bid, knowing that I've committed myself to accept my own established minimum -- or anything higher. And I'm not trying to start a revolution, either. I just think that prices on Oriental coins in the U.S. are all cock-eyed. Plain unreasonable in many cases. If this auction, and others like it, can help establish reasonable price guides, then maybe I'll also change my well known opinion towards "trends" and help publish some sort of help to the collector.

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CHINA - MISCELLANEOUS EARLY COINS

001. CHOST HEAD or Ant-Nose money. Chou Dynasty circa 600 BC. VF	\$ 20.00
002. AN YANG Late Spade II VG	7.50
003. CHIN YANG (or CHUNG YANG) Late Spade I. Broken and cemented leg, otherwise fine.	7.50

(Auction continued on COTL page 2 col 1)

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004. PAN LIANG. Large, probably quite early. Patina, rough. \$ 7.50
 005. Same, slightly smaller, thinner. Patina & age show. 4.00
 006. TA PU, Wang Mang, AD 9 VF 7.50
 007. WU CHU, prob AD 581 F+ 3.00
 008. HUO CH'UAN, Wang Mang VG-F 2.00
 009. Similar VG-f 2.00
 010. Sim, small, chipped G 1.00
 011. CH'IEI YUAN CHUNG PAO, T'ang Dynasty, AD 758, Schjoth-353 G+ .25
 012. Sim, but with crescent rev., and slight patina, S-362 VG .50
 013. HAN YUAN T'UNG PAO, AD 949 G+ 2.00
 014. K'AI YUAN T'UNG PAO, S. T'ang Dynasty, seal script, S-446 VG .50
 015. CHOU YUAN T'UNG PAO, AD 955, Schjoth-423 F 1.00
 016. T'UNG CH'ENG YUAN PAO, AD 915, sim. S-429, plain reverse. Poor condition, but a most elusive coin to find 5.00
 017. PAN LIANG, small F 1.50
 018. WU HSING TA PU AD 57, S-247 10.00
 019. K'AI YUAN T'UNG PAO, AD 841, rev. TAN (Changsha mint), Schjoth-390. Paid 605 yen in a Japanese auction. Fair 1.00
 020. T'IEI HAN YUAN PAO, AD 916. Nice. Schjoth-430. F 3.00
 021. KUANG T'IEI YUAN PAO, Schjoth-431, made in AD 917. G 2.00
 022. T'ANG KUO T'UNG PAO, AD 958. Small seal script, commonest type in the series, Schjoth-441. VG .50
 023. Same, brush characters, S-445. Choice. VF+ 3.00
 024. Same, large seal, OVAL "kuo", could be Schjoth-442. Very scarce F 15.00
 025. HSIEN K'ANG YUAN PAO, Schjoth-435. AD 924. Hard to find. Fair 2.50
 026. Same. G-VG 3.50
 027. CH'IEI TE YUAN PAO, AD 918. Rim is scarred/chewed. S-433 1.00
 028. Same, with cracks G-VG 1.50
 029. Same, with patina VG 2.00

CHINA - SUNG DYNASTY COINS

030. SUNG YUAN T'UNG PAO, Schjoth-451, AD 960. Large dot on rev F-VF 1.00
 031. T'AI P'ING T'UNG PAO, Schjoth-460, with dot, AD 976. VG-F .25
 032. Same, patina VG-F .25
 033. SHUN HUA YUAN PAO, AD 990 in brush style, Schjoth-463. F .25
 034. Same, semi-grass S-464 VG .25
 035. Same, full grass G-VG .25
 036. CHIH TAO YUAN PAO, AD 995, S-465, the brush style writing. G-VG .75
 037. Same, full grass, S-467 VG-F .25
 038. HSIEN P'ING YUAN PAO, AD 998, S-469 (the common variety) F .25
 039. CHING TE YUAN PAO, AD 1004, patina Schjoth-471. VG-F .25
 040. HSIANG FU YUAN PAO, AD 1008, patina Schjoth-474. G .25
 041. Same, S-476. G+ .25
 042. T'IEI HSI T'UNG PAO, AD 1017, Schjoth-480. Fair .25
 043. T'IEI SHENG YUAN PAO, AD 1023, in brush style, S-486 G+ .25
 044. Same, seal, S-484 G+ .25
 045. MING TAO YUAN PAO, AD 1032, brush chunk out of rim S-490 G .50
 046. Same, seal, rim scarred G .50
 047. CHING YU YUAN PAO, AD 1034, seal, hvy patina, S-492. Fair .25
 048. HUANG SUNG T'UNG PAO, AD 1038, in brush, S-499 VF .25
 049. CHING LI CHUNG PAO, AD 1041, 2cash S-505, clockwise reading VF-XF 4.00
 050. Same, read standard (top-bottom-right-left), 2-cash S-504 VG-F 3.00
 051. HSI NING CHUNG PAO, AD 1068, 2-cash clockwise, brush, S-542. F-VF 2.00
 052. Same, seal, 2-cash, S-538 F 2.00
 053. YUAN FENG T'UNG PAO, AD 1078, seal script, Schjoth-545. F-VF .25
 054. Same, grass, S-547 VG-F .25
 055. Suspected Japanese Bita Sen copy of lot 54 (S-547). Could be wrong .25
 056. Japanese Nagasaki made version of YUAN FENG, sim S-546. G+ .50
 057. YUAN FENG, 2-cash, seal script, hvy patina, S-553 G 1.50
 058. Same, grass 2-cash, S-556 VF+ 2.00
 059. YUAN YU T'UNG PAO, AD 1093, grass, Schjoth-576. F+ 1.50
 060. Same, seal 2-cash, S-575 Fair 1.00
 061. SHAO SHENG YUAN PAO, AD 1094, seal script characters, S-582. G .25
 062. Same, brush, S-586. G .25
 063. Same, 2-cash, S-595. VF+ 2.00

64. SHAO SHENG T'UNG PAO, in standard inscription route (top-bottom-right-left order). One-cash. The toughie for this reign title. Patina S-592 G 4.00
 65. SHENG SUNG YUAN PAO, AD 1101, seal, 2-cash S-613. VF+ 2.00
 66. Same, grass, S-614. G 1.00
 67. CHUNG NING T'UNG PAO, AD 1102. One cash, brush, scarce. May be rare in this condition. Schjoth-619 XF 7.50
 68. TA KUAN T'UNG PAO, AD 1107, Schjoth number 629. F .50
 69. CHENG HO T'UNG PAO, AD 1111, brush style, Schjoth-636. VG .25

70. Same, seal, rim nicks VG .25
 71. Same, 2-cash, brush S-640 F-VF 2.00
 72. Same, 2-cash, seal S-639 F 2.00
 73. HSUAN HO T'UNG PAO, AD 1119, brush, light patina, S-653. VG-F .25
 74. HSUAN HO YUAN PAO, S-652, brush. This and next are most scarce VF+ 20.00
 75. Same, seal script. (Not in Schjoth at all). F 15.00

CHINA - SOUTHERN SUNG DYNASTY

76. CHIEN YEN T'UNG PAO, AD 1127, brush Schjoth-671. G 3.00
 77. Same, seal, sim S-673 VF+ 4.00
 78. Same, 2-cash, seal S-674 G 2.00
 79. Same, 2-cash, brush S-676 G 2.00
 80. SHAO HSING YUAN PAO, AD 1131, clockwise, S-679. Apparently this coin is considered scarce in Japan. Fair 20.00
 81. SHAO HSING T'UNG PAO, Standard ins. Not in Schjoth, not S-694 (non-magnetic, not iron). About G 3.00
 82. SHAO HSING YUAN PAO, 2-cash, seal, S-681. Crescent and dot (sun & moon) on reverse. G-VG 2.00
 83. SHAO HSING T'UNG PAO, 3-cash? Brush Schjoth-691. G-VG 5.00
 84. LUNG HSING YUAN PAO, AD 1163, brush 2-cash, S-699. Chunk out of rim, and in only fair condition -- but scarce! 10.00
 85. SHUN HSI YUAN PAO AD 1174-1190, yr 11 on rev, thus AD 1184. Schjoth-719, brush style. VG-F .75
 86. Same, yr 12(1185), brush, painted red on obv. Schjoth-720. VF .75
 87. Same, yr 16(1189), S-724 VF+ .75
 088. Same, S-725 sun & moon VG-F .75
 089. CH'IEI TAO YUAN PAO, AD 1165, two- or 3 cash, S-706, patina G-VG 3.00
 090. CH'ING YUAN T'UNG PAO, AD 1197, is kinda rough .75
 091. Same, yr 5(1199) S-792 G .75
 092. Same, yr 6(1200) S-793 Abt G .75
 093. CHIA T'AI T'UNG PAO, yr 3(1203) Schjoth-837 VG+ .75
 094. K'AI HSI T'UNG PAO, yr 2(1206), patina, Schjoth-858 VG .75
 095. Same, yr 3(1207), Schjoth-859, with traces of patina VG .75
 096. CHIA TING T'UNG PAO, yr 11(1218), Schjoth-886. F .75
 097. Same, yr 12(1219) S-887 VG .75
 098. Same, yr 14, patinated Fair .75
 099. Same, 2-cash, yr 9(1216), not in Schjoth, sim S-897. G+ 1.50
 100. SHAO TING T'UNG PAO, yr 3(1230), Schjoth-969. VF 1.00
 101. CHIA HSI T'UNG PAO 1239 G .75
 102. SHUN YU YUAN PAO, year-2(1242), Schjoth-1002. F-VF .75
 103. HUANG SUNG YUAN PAO, yr 5(1257), some patina, S-1028 VG .75
 104. Same, yr 6(1258) S-1029 F .75
 105. CHING TING YUAN PAO (yuan nien for first year on reverse) 1260 VG .75
 106. HSIEN SHUN YUAN PAO, yr 8(1282), or Schjoth-1054. VG .75

CHINA - THE MING DYNASTY

107. TA CHUNG T'UNG PAO, AD 1368, with CHEKIANG mintmark on reverse. Paid 625 yen in a Japanese mail-bid auction, and that was considered low there. VG 2.00
 108. Same, blank reverse. VG .50
 109. Same, with PEI-P'ING on reverse. Note: this is not a mintmark for Peking as Schjoth indicates. VG 4.00
 110. HUNG WU T'UNG PAO, AD 1368, blank reverse. VG .25
 111. Similar VG .25
 112. HUNG WU, with yi ch'ien (1-cash), on rev. Small, atypical variety, may be Japanese copy. Fair .25
 113. HUNG WU, with pei p'ing on rev. Scarce coin, although not many dealers in the U.S. seem to know it. Poor 2.00
 114. Same, with kuei rev. VG 1.00
 115. YUNG LO T'UNG PAO, 1408 F .25
 116. HSUAN TE T'UNG PAO, 1433 VG .50
 117. CHIH CHIH T'UNG PAO 1503 Poor .50
 118. CHENG TE T'UNG PAO, 1506, charm 1-cash, patina. A fake? I don't know. Take a look. G+ 5.00
 119. CHIA CHING T'UNG PAO 1528 F 1.50
 120. LUNG CHING T'UNG PAO, A.D. 1570, very scarce. G 3.00
 121. WAN LI T'UNG PAO 1576 VG .50
 122. T'AI CH'ANG T'UNG PAO, 1620. Small hole in the field. F 1.50
 123. T'IEI CH'ANG T'UNG PAO, 1621. Yes, this is the right coin for this date. G 2.00
 124. CH'UNG CHEN T'UNG PAO 1628 G .75
 125. CHIA KUANG T'UNG PAO, 1645. Hard to find. G+ 2.00
 126. YUNG LI T'UNG PAO 1647 Fair 3.00
 127. TA MING T'UNG PAO, 1644, with the character HU (Board of Revenue) on the reverse. F+ 3.00
 128. YUNG CH'ANG T'UNG PAO 1647 G 3.00
 129. TA SHUN T'UNG PAO 1643 VG+ 2.00
 130. LI YUNG T'UNG PAO, 1674. Paid 481 yen on a Japanese auction. Fair .50
 131. Same, but nice large piece with LI on reverse. Paid 905 yen VF 2.50
 132. CH'AO WU T'UNG PAO 1678 G 1.00

133. Same, with KUNG (public works) on reverse. G+ 1.50
 134. HUNG HUA T'UNG PAO 1678 VG .75
 135. Same, with KUNG on rev. Chunk is missing from field. G .75
 136. YU MIN T'UNG PAO, AD 1676 (?) Splendid specimen! VF 5.00

KOREAN FIVE-CASH SANG P'Y'ONG T'ONG BO (Using Gardner numbers from The Coinage of Corea, 1963 reprint).

137. Page 42 # 263 type, numeral 2 at 6 o'clock. Paid 450 yen. G+ 1.00
 138. Page 26, # 121 type, numeral 7 at 6 o'clock. G 1.00
 139. Page 24, #117 or #118. Numeral 6 at 6 o'clock. Paid 400 yen. G 1.00
 140. Page 10, #20 type, numeral 9 at 6 o'clock. Fair 1.00
 141. Page 44 #266 type, numeral 9 at 6 o'clock. Gardner's description may be for a different specimen, as this piece is pretty poorly made. Fair 1.00

SOME ODDS AND ENDS FROM THE SCRATCH BOX

142. China, Ch'ing Dynasty, TUNG CHIH CHUNG PAO, Revenue mint, 10-cash G+ 2.00
 143. Korea, SANG P'Y'ONG T'ONG BO, so-called "seed coin", Gardner # 188 with # 2 at 9 o'clock. Circulated. Paid 450 yen in Japan. F+ 1.00
 144. Korea, Gardner # 8, page 5. CHOSEN T'ONG BO. Poor .25
 145. China, CHIH TA T'UNG PAO, AD 1310, Yuan Dynasty. Paid 150 yen. G .50

JAPANESE COINS

146. KANEI TSUHO, rev. GEN mintmark for Osaka. G .25
 147. KANEI TSUHO, rev. SA mintmark for Sado Island. Kugahara # 37. G+ 1.00
 148. KANEI TSUHO, iron, mint unk, one-cash size. Fair .25
 149. KANEI TSUHO, iron, Sendai mintmark on rev. One-cash. G+ 1.50
 150. KANEI TSUHO, iron, one cash, with KYU mintmark on reverse. VG .50
 151. KANEI TSUHO, iron, one cash, with KYU NI mintmark on reverse. Fair .75
 152. Nice little piece of "bean money", with character GEN on it. G 3.00
 153. Nother piece, can't read Fair 1.50
 154. A very nice good sized bean from HOEI era. G+ 10.00
 155. TEMPO ICHI-BU GIN (one bu silver), AD 1837. There are "chops" in the field by the way. VG 3.00
 156. TEMPO, contemporary counterfeit ICHI-BU GIN. Made in Morioka, I think, around 1860. Copper with very light silver wash. Poor 5.00
 157. KAEI ISSHU GIN, 1853 F .75
 158. WADO KAICHIN, AD 708. Japan's first coin. Chunk out of the field, but otherwise fine. 15.00
 159. MANNEN TSUHO, AD 760. About 1/3 of left side broken off, otherwise would grade about VG or so. Scarce! 15.00

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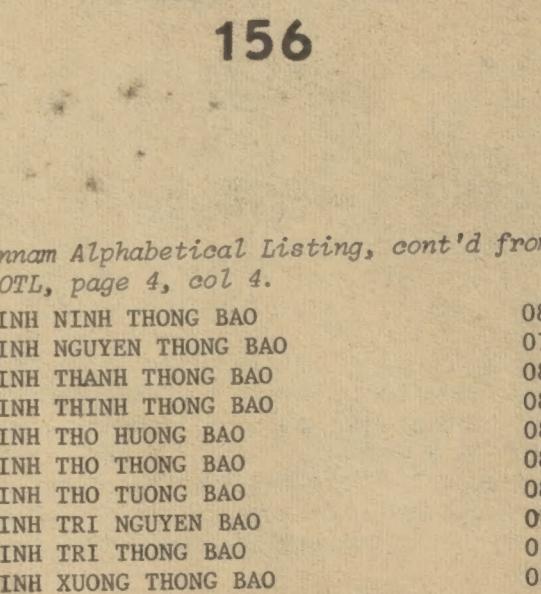
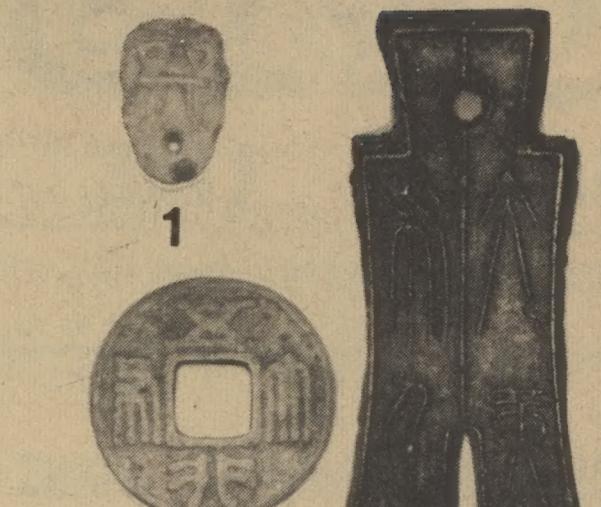
160. SUNG MINH THONG BAO, # 221. Paid 600 yen in Japan. F 1.50
 161. KHOAN VINH THONG BAO, # 287. Small copy of the Osaka made KANEI TSUHO, complete with mintmark on reverse. Paid 1,000 yen in Japan. Poor 3.00
 162. Same, blank reverse. Paid 696 yen in mail-bid. Poor 2.00
 163. GIA LONG THONG BAO, AD 1802, #295D G+ .75
 164. CANH DUC NGUYEN BAO, # 248. Paid 2,000 yen. Very scarce! G+ 5.00
 165. HONG DUC THONG BAO, AD 1470, # 154. VG+ 2.50

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS

166. Wilhelm Patalas, CHINESISCHE MUNZEN, von Ihrem Ursprung Bis 1912, West Germany, 1965. German text, profusely illustrated with line drawings. 156 pp hard-bound. 10.00
 167. KAHEI, volume 10 number 4. The journal of the Japanese numismatic society. August 1966. Paper, 50pp. The text is in Japanese, of course. 1.00
 168. Same, vol 10 # 3, June 1966 1.00
 169. Same, vol 10 # 5, Oct. 1966 1.00
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 173. Same, issue # 20, Jan. 1960 1.00
 174. Same, #26-27, April 1964 1.00

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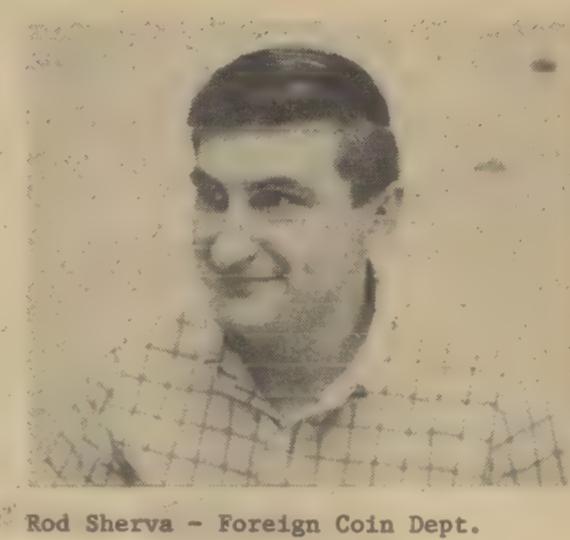
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AUSTRALIA CONT'D

AFGHANISTAN				
1 Paisa	Y-32	1337 AH	G-VG	1.50
2 Pul	Y-90	1316 AH	Bunc.	.25
25 Pul	Y-85	(1934) abt. Good	1.00	1.00
25 Pul	Y-94	1316 AH	VF+	.75
25 Pul	Y-95	1335	F-VF	.75
1 Afghani	Y-100	1961	Bunc.	.50
2 Afghani	Y101	1961	Bunc.	.75
ALBANIA				
1 Lek.	Y-8	1930	Very Fine	2.50
50 Quin.	Y-42	1964	Bunc.	1.35
ALGERIA				
2 Fr. (Y-89 France)	1944	Unc.	3.00	3.00
100 Fr. Y-3	1950	F-VF	1.50	1.50
50¢ Commerce Token, A.Unc.			1.00	1.00
ANGOLA				
½ Macuta C75	1851	VF	8.50	8.50
10¢ Y-22	1949	B.Unc.	.25	.25
20¢ Y-23	1948	B.Unc.	.40	.40
50¢ Y-24	1948	B.Unc.	1.00	1.00
50¢ Y-24	1950	B.Unc.	1.00	1.00
2½ Es. Y-27	1953	VF	.75	.75
2½ Es. Y-27	1956	VF	.75	.75
ANTWERP (ANVERS)				
10¢ 1814 C-2 (under Napoleon)				
VG-Fine, wk. date & scratch			6.00	6.00
ARGENTINA				
2 Sols 1826-RA, C-24	Fine+		11.75	11.75
1c 1854 C-31	A.F. 2.00,	V.F. 4.00		
2c 1854 C-32	Very-Fine +		4.00	4.00
1 Decimo 1822 C-41	Fine nk.		1.00	1.00
1 Decimo 1823 C-41	VG-Fine		1.00	1.00
5/10 Real 1827 C-43 error, rev..				
struct over obv. (clear) Fine+			6.00	6.00
5/10 Real 1830 C-43	Very Fine +		2.50	2.50
½ Real 1854 C-96	Au-Unc.		8.50	8.50
1 Real 1840 C-49	F. 1.25,	XF	4.00	4.00
1 Real 1843 C-66	Fine+ (crude)		8.75	8.75
1c 1884 Y-1	VG-Fine		.50	.50
1c 1891 Y-1	Fine, rim dents		.50	.50
1c 1939 Y-12	Red Unc.		.50	.50
1c 1944 Y-12	B.Unc.		1.25	1.25
1c 1945 Y-12a	A.Unc.		1.50	1.50
1c 1946 Y-12a	A.Unc. weak		.50	.50
2c 1884 Y-2	nice VF+		1.00	1.00
2c 1888 Y-2	XF - Dark		1.25	1.25
2c 1889 Y-2	nice XF-A.Unc.		2.00	2.00
2c 1890 Y-2	Very-Fine		1.00	1.00
2c 1891 Y-2	Extra-Fine		1.50	1.50
2c 1892 Y-2	Very-Fine +		.75	.75
2c 1893 Y-2	VF-XF die breaks		1.50	1.50
2c 1894 Y-2	VF - Fine nicks		.50	.50
2c 1899 Y-13	A.U. - Unc.		.50	.50
2c 1940 Y-13	Red A.U.-Unc.		1.00	1.00
2c 1949 Y-13a	Choice B.Unc.		1.00	1.00
5c 1905 Y-7	Very-Fine		.65	.65
5c 1945 Y-15	B.Unc.		.50	.50
10c 1883 Y-3	Nice VF-XF		3.00	3.00
10c 1896 Y-8	Fine		1.00	1.00
10c 1897 Y-8	Very-Fine +		.75	.75
10c 1914 Y-8	Good +		.75	.75
10c 1931 Y-8	Good		.75	.75
10c 1950 Y-19	Extra-Fine		1.00	1.00
20c 1896 Y-9	Good		.50	.50
20c 1897 Y-9	VG+ rim nicks		.50	.50
20c 1899 Y-9	Nice VG-Fine		1.25	1.25
20c 1905 Y-9	Fine		.50	.50
20c 1908 Y-9	AG-Good		1.00	1.00
20c 1914 Y-9	Fine - Very Fine		1.50	1.50
20c 1916 Y-9	VG-Fine		.75	.75
20c 1939 Y-9	XF-A.Unc.		.75	.75
20c 1950 Y-9	Very-Fine +		.75	.75
50c 1941 Y-14	B.Unc.		2.50	2.50
1 Peso 1960, Y-30	B.Unc.		1.00	1.00
25 Peso 1964 Y-33	B.Unc.		1.00	1.00
AUSTRALIA				
½ d. Y-13	1938 nice XF		1.50	1.50
½ d. Y-14	1941 Nice XF +		1.00	1.00
½ d. Y-14	1953 Red A.Unc.		2.00	2.00
½ d. Y-28	1955 Red Unc.		.75	.75
1 d. Y-6	1912-H VF+		1.25	1.25



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Belgium Cont'd.				
2c 1836	C-2	Very-Fine	2.00	
2c 1845	C-2	A.Unc.	3.50	
2c 1858	C-2	F-VF	1.50	
2c 1863	C-2	Very-Fine	1.50	
2c 1865	C-2	Fine	1.50	
2c 1869	Y-2	XF	1.75	
2c 1875	Y-2	XF-AU nks.	1.75	
5c 1883	C-3	VG-Fine	4.00	
5c 1887	C-3	VG+	1.50	
5c 1847	C-3	Nice VF+	2.50	
5c 1848	C-3	VG-Fine	2.50	
5c 1855	C-3	Very-Fine	7.50	
5c 1858	C-3	VF++	2.50	
5c 1862	C-6	XF-A.Unc.	1.00	
5c 1902 Fl.	Y-12	B.Unc.	1.25	
10c 1862	C-7	B.Unc. carbon spt. obv. shifted 5° (doubled)	4.75	
10c 1864	C-7	Fine	1.50	
10c 1894 Fl.	Y-4	A.Unc.	1.25	
10c 1904 Fl.	Y-13	Unc.	.90	
10c 1930 Fl.	Y-25a	Fine-Very Fine	1.35	
20c 1861	C-8	Abt. Fine	2.75	
25c 1909	Y-14	VF-XF	1.50	
50c 1866	Y-5	Very Good	1.00	
50c 1881	Y-5	AG Weak Date	1.50	
50c 1886 Fl.	Y-5	Fine	1.50	
50c 1898 Fr.	Y-5	VG-Fine	1.75	
50c 1907 Fl.	Y-16	VG-Fine	1.00	
50c 1918	Y-41	Very Fine	2.75	
1 Fr. 1867	Y-6	VF ++	1.75	
1 Fr. 1869	Y-6	XF	3.00	
1 Fr. 1880	Y-9	Commem. VF	4.00	
1 Fr. 1887	Y-6	XF +	4.00	
1 Fr. 1904 Fl.	Y-17	Abt. Fine	1.50	
1 Fr. 1913 Fl.	Y-34	VF-XF	1.50	
2 Fr. 1866	Y-7	F-VF rim dmg.	1.75	
2 Fr. 1944	Y-56	B.Unc.	1.50	
20 Fr. 1934 Fr.	Y-36	F-VF	2.00	
20 Fr. 1935 Fr.	Y-49	VF-XF	2.75	
20 Fr. 1949 Fl.	Y-59	VF-XF	1.35	
20 Fr. 1953 Fr.	Y-59	XF-AU	1.50	
50 Fr. 1948 Fr.	Y-60	VF-XF	2.00	
50 Fr. 1958 Fl.	Y-64	B.Unc.	2.75	

COMIC CORNER

Greetings:

Since our last edition I have been fortunate enough to see, even if not to own, many of the great classic comic rarities we all dream about. I'm speaking of my trip to the recent Comic Convention in Houston. I was only able to attend the opening day so I missed many of the Special Events (Auctions, Movies, etc.). However, if you had to pick one day, that was the day. At the rate all of the better items were selling, I imagine that many of the First Class Pieces were not to be had at any price by the second day.

Collectors of all areas and all ages appeared to be well represented despite the admission price of \$2.50 per person. This seemed very high to me considering all of my experiences with the largest Coin, Stamp and Antique Shows in the country where if they see fit to charge any admission at all it never exceeds \$1.00. It must have seemed high to all of the youngsters too that I saw counting their hoarded allowances to see if they could afford just one more Spiderman.

Overall it appeared to be a very well organized show and I would imagine that all of the dealers left quite satisfied. Early in the morning I mentally noted one table which I planned to return to after making my complete tour. When I returned a couple of hours later, the table was empty and as far as I could determine, the man had totally sold out and closed up shop.

I'm sure you are all wondering what was hot. If you had to pick any areas over others, it would have been as follows: The Timeleys and the early Disney Items seemed to be the hottest of all; These were followed by the early DC's (Adventure in particular) after that it was too close to pick favorites. There were many collectors looking for work by particular artists, others like myself, were just looking for anything that struck our fancy.

One thing for sure, no matter what you were looking for, they had a good cross section to choose from. There were, aside from actual comics, items such as S.F. pulps and paperbacks (would you believe back into the 20's) original art work by some of the great artists, fanzines of every conceivable nature. Also related items such as radio tapes, Sunday and daily newspaper comic strips, Big Little Books etc. etc. etc. There were even some toys, decoder rings, Mickey Mouse watches (even a Mickey Pocket Watch) ray guns, space ships, old movie posters and stills and I don't know what else that I didn't even see.

All told, this was to me a great day and being my first Comic Con. has only served to wet my appetite for the one scheduled later this year in Oklahoma City.

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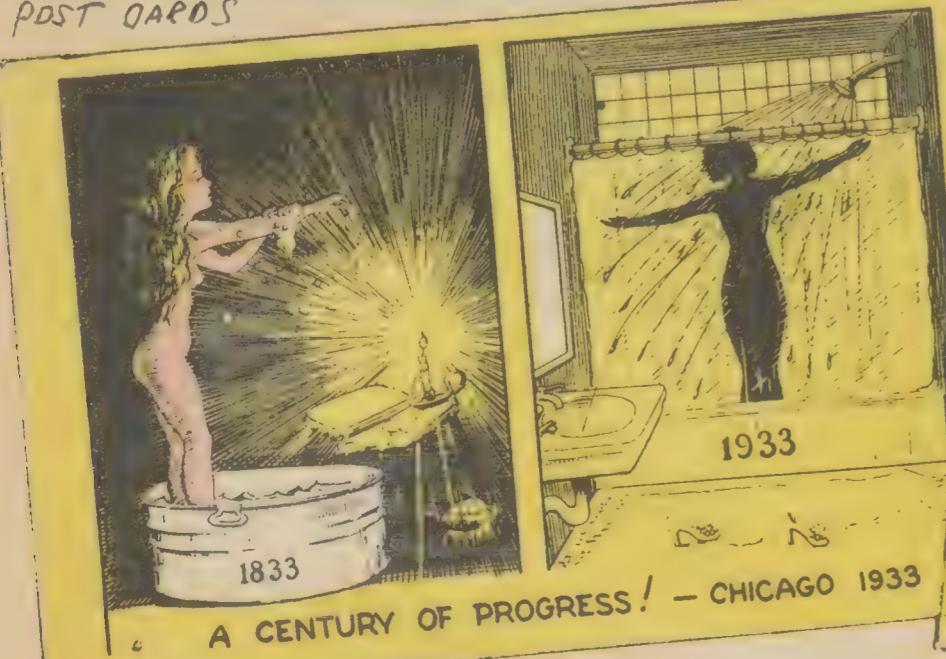
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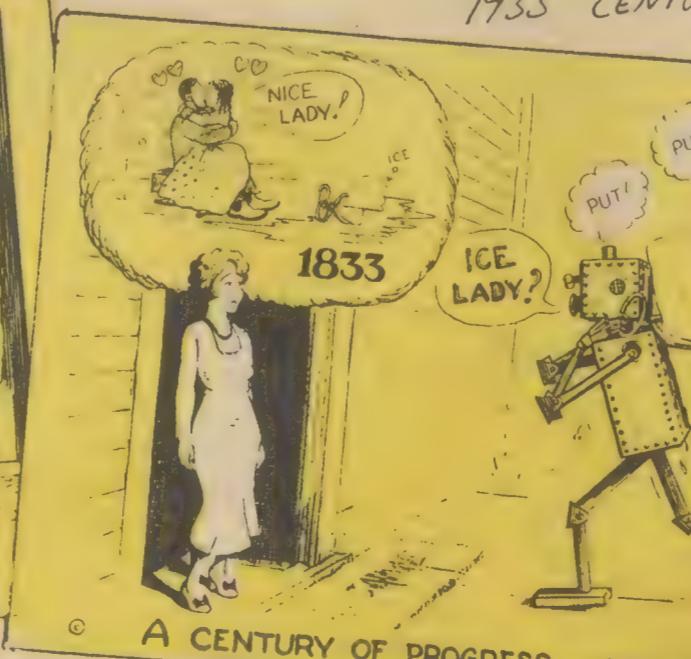
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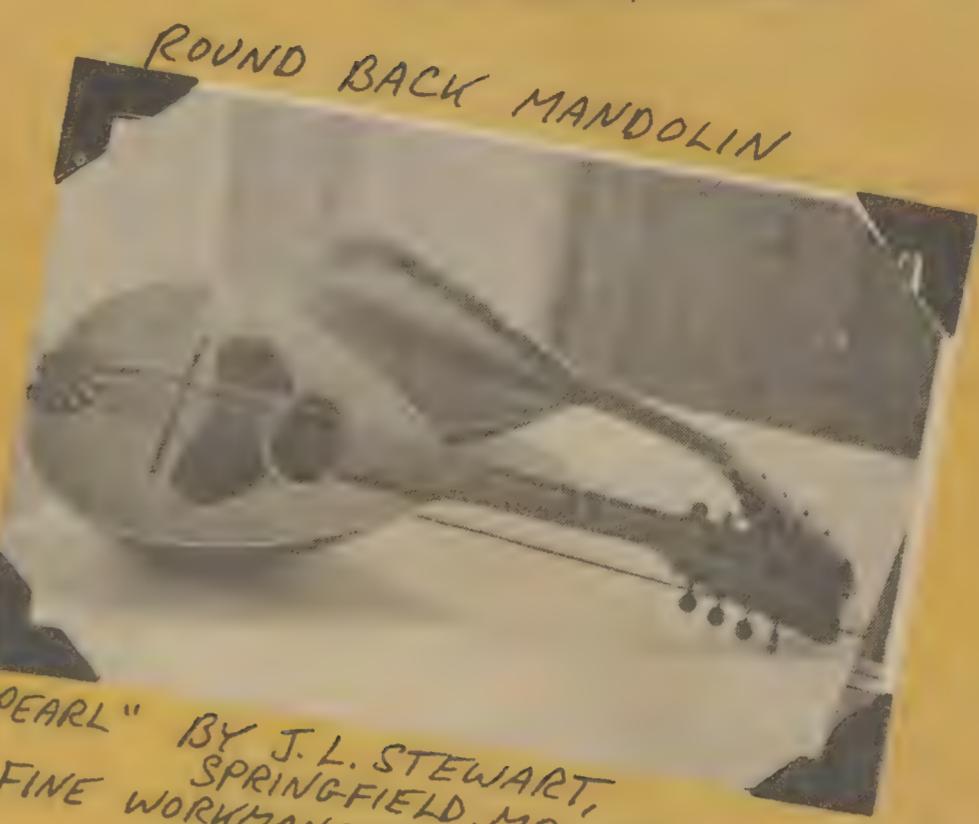
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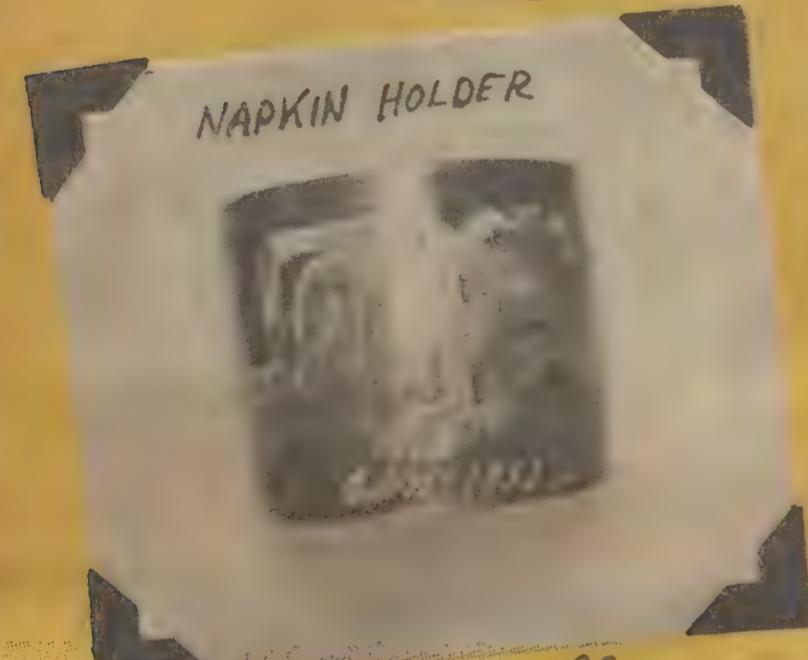
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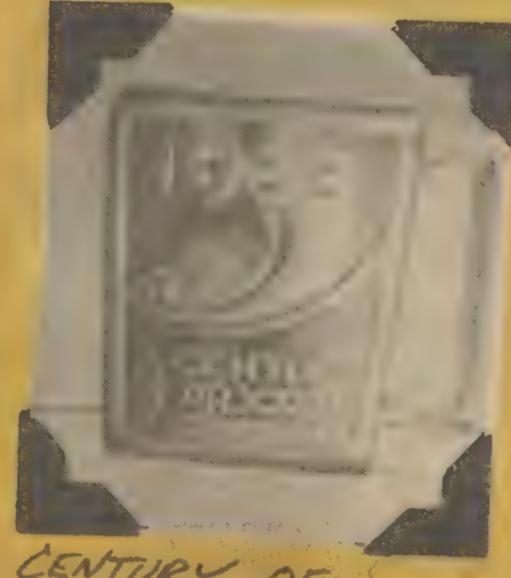
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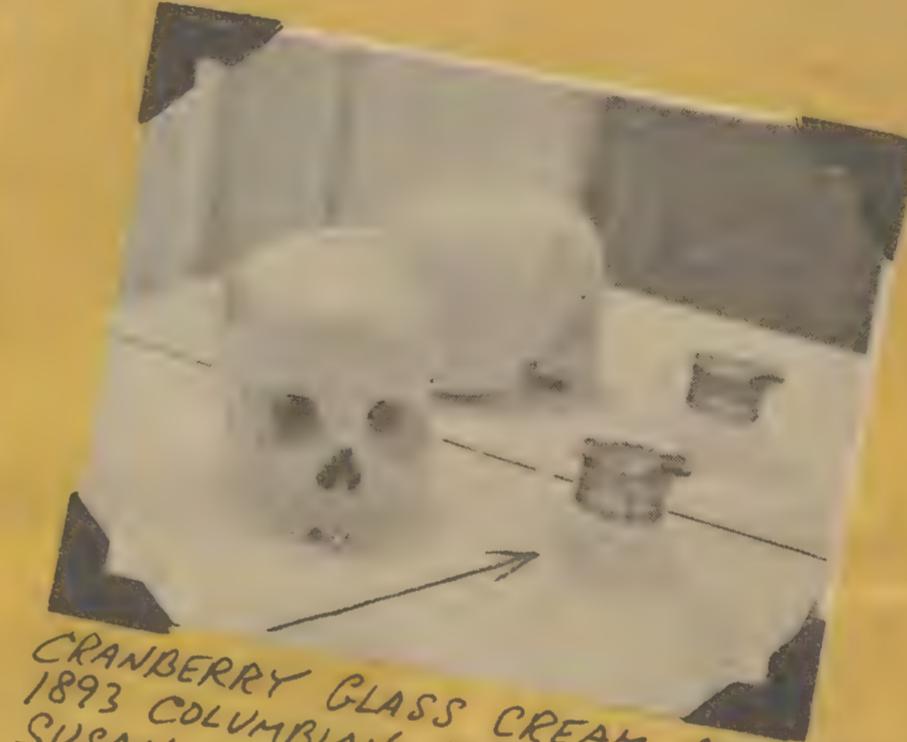
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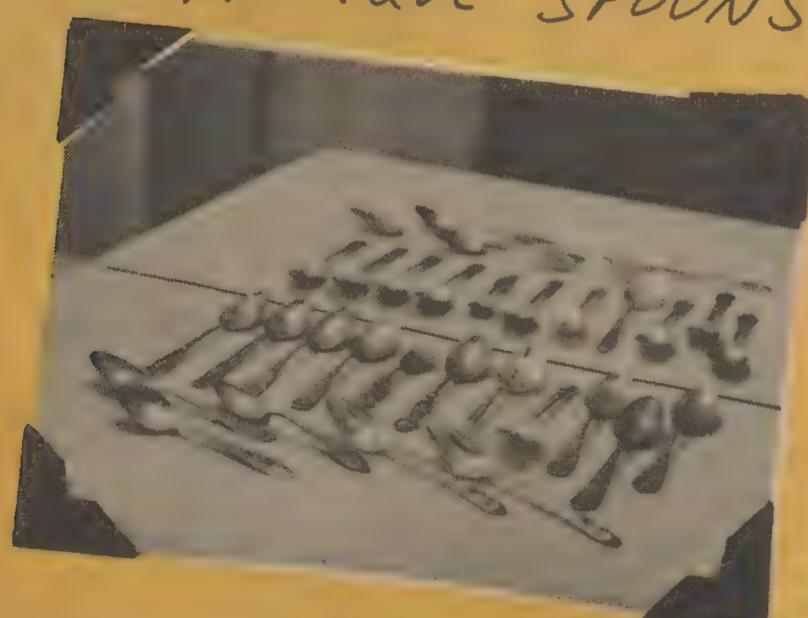
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2. Albania 1 Q.A. 1935 Y-3 Unc	6.75
3. - 2 Q.A. 1935 Y-4 Unc	6.75
4. - 5 Leks 1939 Y-3 EF	6.75
5. Angola ½ Macuta 1851 CR-75 Fine	3.75
6. Argentina Peso 1882 Y-6 F-VF Cleaned	3.75
7. - 1883 Y-6 EF-AU	64.50
8. Australia 3d 1910 VF	4.75
9. - 1915 Y-9 VF	6.75
10. - 6d 1953 Y-31 Unc	3.00
11. - Florin 1919M Y-12 VF+	12.50
12. - Florin 1942S Y-19 Unc	4.75
13. - Florin 1953 Y-33 Unc	4.75
14. - Crown 1937 Y-20 EF	6.75
15. Austria 6 Kr. 1675 (SHS) VF+ with luster	6.50
16. - 20 Kr. 1830C CR-183C Nice Unc	6.50
17. - Florin 1860A Y-15 B Nice Unc	3.75
18. - 5 Schilling 1934 Y-79 Unc	4.75
19. - 1 Heller - Camp Braunau (Prisoner of war camp. Issued during 1915-16) UNC	4.75
20. Barbadoes 1d 1788 CR-1 F-VF	10.50
21. - 1d 1792 CR-3 EF-AU	32.50
22. Belgium ½ Franc 1843 CR-9 F-VF Scarce, mintage 8,000	22.50
23. - 1 Franc 1880 Y-9 EF	7.50
24. - 2 Francs 1909 Y-18 EF+	3.50
25. Bohemia, Georg Podiebrad 1458-71 Ar 27mm Prague Groschen Sharp VF	14.50
26. - Rudolph II 1576-1612 Ar Maley Groschen 1584 VF+	6.75
27. - Joseph I 3 Kr. 1709 GE VF+	6.50
28. Bolivia 5¢ 1883 Y-69a Unc	8.75
29. - 10¢ 1883 Y-70a Unc	8.75
30. Brazil 500 Reis 1932 Y-42 Unc	6.50
31. - 500 Reis 1935 Y-49 Unc	9.75
32. - 1000 Reis 1860 CR-193 Unc	8.50
33. - 1000 Reis 1862 CR-193 Unc	8.50
34. - 1000 Reis 1913A Y-22 Choice Unc	3.75
35. - 1000 Reis 1932 Y-43 Unc	5.75
36. - 2000 Reis 1932 Y-44 Unc	4.75
37. Br. Honduras 5¢ 1894 Y-2 VF	8.50
38. - 25¢ 1897 Y-4 EF Shallow scratch on reverse field	16.75
39. Br. N. Borneo ½ 1907H Y-1 EF	6.75
40. Br W Africa 1/10d 1907 Y-3 Unc	6.75
41. - ½d 1936 KN Y-19 Unc	3.75
42. - 6d 1942 Y-26 AU	3.75
43. - 6d 1952 Y-32 Unc (carbon spot)	9.75
44. - 1/ 1913 Y-16 AU Planchet flaw	3.75
45. Brixen & Breslau, Carl of Austria, 3 Kr. 1620 EF	7.50
46. Canada 10¢ 1940 Y-30 Unc	7.50
47. - 50¢ 1871 Y-9 Fine	22.50
48. - 50¢ 1951 Y-40 Unc	6.75
49. Cayenne, Stamped 1779 CR-10 VF	12.00
50. Ceylon coffee pickers token 1843 Wekande Mills, Prid # 96 NicelUnc	5.75
51. - 24 Stivers CR-31 EF	27.50
52. - 10¢ 1941 Y-32 EF with C/S GPO, an- other without C/S Unc, 2 pcs	3.75
53. Chile 1 Real 1838 Y-20 Abt VF	16.50
54. - 2 Reales 1848 Y-21a EF-AU	18.50
55. - Peso 1817 FD Y-5 VF	87.50
56. - Peso 1878 Y-48 Unc	12.50
57. China, Chou Dynasty 1122-255 BC Bone cash (probably EF) A nice specimen	37.50
58. - Pan Liang, Chin Dynasty, Emp. Shin 255-206 BC Sch# 82 VF	24.50
59. - Pan Liang, Han Dynasty, Emp. Hsiao Wen 179-157 BC Sch # 93 VF	9.50
60. - Ch'ing Dynasty, Kuang Hsu 18mm Ar cash type coin, Fukien mint VF Some rim damage where mount was removed. Unusual.	7.50
61. - Che-Kiang 10¢ 1912 EF	4.50
62. - Fookien 5¢ 1902 Y-8 K-131 AU	4.50
63. - Foo-Kien 20¢ 1923 Y-16 K-706 EF Scarce variety.	22.50
64. - Hupeh 20¢ 1896 Y-11 K-42 Unc	4.50
65. - Hupeh 50¢ 1896 Y-12 K-141 AU Unc	
65.-Hupeh 50¢ 1896 Y-12 K-141 Au-Unc	14.50
66. - Kiang-Nan 5¢ 1900 Y-6 K-85 EF	6.50
67. - KiangNan 10¢ 1898 Y-7 K-73D Unc	14.50
68. - KiangNan 20¢ 1901 Y-8 K-87 Unc	6.50
69. - KiangNan 20¢ 1902 Y-8 K-94 EF	3.75
70. - Manchurian Provinces 20¢ 1909 Y-2 K-260 EF	12.00
71. - Szechuan (Republic) 200 Cash 1913 Y-21 CRUDE VF for this coin	12.00
72. - Yunnan 50¢ 1916 Y-8 AU	10.00
73. - Republic 10¢ 1936A Y-33 K-838 Vienna Mint EF+	7.50
74. - Republic \$1 1914 Y-14 K-642 EF	62.50
75. - Republic \$1 1921 (10th Year, Seven characters) Y-19 AU	3.50
76. Chur Pfalz ½ Kr. 1759 billion AU Obv: Rampant lion, legend, date Rev: denomination	3.50
77. Cochin China 10¢ 1884 Y-3 EF	17.50
78. Colombia 2 Reales 1844 Popayan CR-144 Fine	9.50
79. Costa Rica 5¢ 1942 Y-58 Unc	3.50
80. - 2 Reales 1849 C/S with lion CR-19 Fine	6.75
81. Courland Ar Groschen 1762 Unc	12.00
82. Crete 2 Lepta 1900 Y-2 EF-AU	4.50
83. Cuba Peso 1915 Y-4 EF	12.50
84. Cyprus 18 Piastres 1938 Y-30 AU	4.50
85. Czechoslovakia 10 Korun 1930 Y-12 Choice Unc	4.50

86. Danzig Ar Grossus 1530 toned VF	6.50
87. - ½ Taler 1615 VF	8.75
88. Denmark 4 Skilling 1807 CR-56 AU	6.50
89. - Rigsbankdaler 1848 CR-127 EF	12.50
90. Dominican Republic ½ Peso 1952 Y-19 Unc	8.75
91. - Peso 1955 (Trujillo) Y-21 Unc	19.50
92. East Africa 1¢ 1928H Y-20 Unc	3.75
93. - 10¢ 1941 Y-29 Unc	3.50
94. - Florin 1920H Y-19 Coin has little wear and some luster, but weakness of strike reduces grade to F+	22.50
95. Faeroe Islands 10 Ore 1941 Y-4	EF 3.25
96. - 25 Ore 1941 Y-5 EF	3.75
97. Fiji ½d 1934 Y-1 Unc	6.75
98. - ½d 1940 Y-7 EF	22.50
99. - 1d 1941 Y-8 Unc	3.75
100. - 1/ 1934 Y-4 AU	5.50
101. - Florin 1942S Y-16 AU	3.75
102. France 10¢ 1832 Essai Unc V.G. # 2798, Maz. # 1121	17.50
103. - 5 Francs 1852A Y-13 VF	12.50
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105. - 10 Francs 1965 Y-111 Unc	4.50
106. Frankfurt 2 Gulden CR-86 Commem. for the Centenary of the birth of Goethe. Mintage 8,500 P-L Unc	37.50
107. Freiburg 1,000,000 marks 1923 Aluminum, Lamb # 132A P-L Unc	8.50
108. Fr. Colonies 10¢ 1824A Bronze Essai V.G. # 2560 AU	14.75
109. Georgia 2 Abbas 1832 CR-86 Crude Very Fine	12.50
110. Germany 3 Marks 1922A Y-29 AU-U	4.75
111. Great Britain ½d 1754 CR-1a VF	7.50
112. - ½d 1773 CR-15 F-VF	4.50
113. - ½d 1925 Y-60 Unc	3.00
114. - ½d 1935 Y-60a Unc	4.75
115. - ½d 1772 CR-18 Fine +	3.75
116. - ½d 1937 Y-83 Unc	2.50
117. - 3d 1762 CR-26 AU	6.75
118. - 3d 1937 Y-85 Unc	2.95
119. - 3d 1943 Y-85 Unc	2.95
120. - 6d 1757 CR-7a EF	8.75
121. - 5/ 1953 Y-125 Unc	4.75
122. - Trade Dollar 1901B Y-T1 Unc	7.50
123. - Trade Dollar 1903/2 EF	17.50
124. - Trade Dollar 1934B Unc	77.50
125. Guatemala ½ Real 1840 CR-91 Unc	5.75
126. - ¼ Real 1844 CR-91 Unc	5.75
127. - ½ Real 1868 Y-20 Unc	6.75
128. - 1 Real 1824 CR-93 EF	12.50
129. - 1 Real 1864 Y-9 Unc	6.70
130. - 2 Reales 1861 Y-5 Unc	24.50
131. - 4 Reales 1817 CR-71 Fine	37.50
132. - 4 Reales 1894H Y-83 EF	3.75
133. - 5¢ 1881 Y-70 EF	37.50
134. - 5¢ 1949 Y-114 AU-Unc	7.50
135. - 25¢ 1893 Y-69a Unc	3.75
136. - 25¢ 1915 Y-90 Unc	4.75
137. - 25¢ 1943 Y-110 Unc	9.75
138. - Peso 1864 Y-12 EF	9.75
139. - Peso 1872 Y-56 VF	29.50
140. - Peso 1894 C/S on Peru Sol 1888 Y-88 Very Fine	6.50
141. - Peso 1894 C/S on Chile Peso 1884 Y-88a EF+	12.50
142. - Peso 1897 Y-84 EF+	12.50
143. Guernsey 4 doubles 1908 Y3 VF	5.50
144. - 4 doubles 1949H Y-3a Unc	4.95
145. Guinea 1962 5 Francs, 10 Fr, 25 Fr, all Unc. Three pieces	4.50
146. Haiti 1¢ 1846 CR-41 VF+	3.75
147. - 10¢ 1828 CR-37 EF	14.75
148. Hamburg, Dreiling 1807 Under Napoleon's occupation of Hamburg	6.50
149. Hawaii ½ dollar Y-4 VF	22.50
150. Hejaz 40 Paras 1923 Y-4 Unc	19.50
151. Honduras 1 Real 1830T CR-22 VF	8.50
152. - Peso 1881 Y-25 Abt Fine	22.00
153. Hungary 3 Kreuzer 1679 KB EF	6.75
154. - 6 Kr. 1673 KB VF+	6.75
155. - 3 Krajczar 1849 NB CR-69 AU	4.50
156. - 1 Forint 1868 KB Y-12 EF	4.75
157. India ½ Rupee 1910C Y-32 EF	3.50
158. - ½ Rupee 1917B Y-44 Unc	3.00
159. - 1 Rupee 1913B Y-45 Unc	4.95
160. - 1 Rupee 1914B Y-45 Unc	4.95
161. - 1 Rupee 1919C Y-45 Unc	4.95
162. - 1 Rupee 1920B Y-45 Unc	4.95
163. - 1 Rupee 1921B Y-45 Unc	8.95
164. - 1 Rupee 1945L Y-57 Unc	3.75
165. Indore 1 Rupee 1834-43 AD CR-85 VF Sunface Type	7.50
166. Indo-Scythian, Azes II 15BC-20 AD Ae 12 mm Fine Obv: Horseman Rev: Zeus holding Nike	6.00
167. Ionian Islands 1 Lepton 1848 CR-24 Extra Fine	4.75
168. Ireland 6d 1949 Y-13a Unc	3.50
169. - ½ Crown 1939 Y-16 EF	7.50
170. Isle of Man, Farthing 1839 CR7 EF	8.75
171. - 1d 1733 FR-7 Fine	4.75
172. - 1d 1758 CR-2 VF	12.50
173. - 1d 1830 Pridmore-55 Fine	7.50
174. Isle of Wight ½d 1792 Obv: Ship Rev: Bust of Robert Bird Wilkins Very Fine	7.50
175. Jaipur 1 Rupee 1913 Y-A5 Unc	
176. Jamaica 1 Farthing 1885 Y1 EF+	4.75
177. - 1d 1897 Y3 VF Mintage 24,000	4.95
178. - 1d 1910 Y-9 AU	8.50
179. Jaora 1 Paisa 1893 Y-1 EF	

CASH ON THE LINE 3

MING

The Chinese MING Dynasty began in A.D. 1368, and held the Mandate of Heaven for 276 years, officially coming to an end in A.D. 1644. During this period of history, Geoffrey Chaucer was born and died, leaving behind his *Canterbury Tales*; John Huss was burned at the stake and Martin Luther posted his 95 theses on the door of the Wittenberg Cathedral; Columbus discovered America and Francis Xavier discovered Japan; William Shakespeare was born and died, leaving the world of letters much better than he found it; and the Mayflower landed at Plymouth Rock.

There were 16 rulers during the Ming Era. The first was a Buddhist monk, Chu Yuan-chang, who drove the Mongols out of China. He is known as the Emperor HUNG WU. It was Hung Wu's son, known as YUNG LO, who gave China a great gift -- the city of Peking. The Yung Lo era also saw the Chinese excell as sea merchants -- to the point of traveling all the way to Africa. But later emperors were poor: Cheng T'ung gave all his power to a eunuch, and Cheng Te spent most of his time in the red light districts. The last official emperor, CH'UNG CHENG, killed his own family by hacking them to pieces with a sword, and then hanged himself.

The coinage is not frequently collected by Americans, and usually one sees only a short series. Actually, there is a large number of different coins, and the Ming series contains some of the most difficult to obtain coins of any from China.

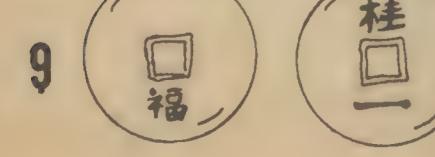
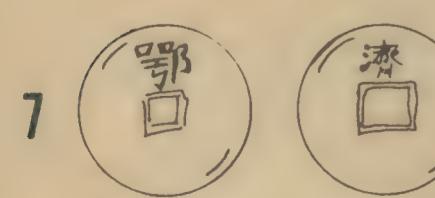
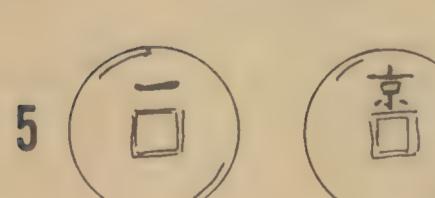
Most of the illustrations for this article come from the Glover Collection, as presented in the three-volume work by Lockhart, W358, *The Currency of the Farthest East from the Earliest Times up to the Present Day*. "L" numbers here refer to this basic source. All illustrations are reduced 70%.

An attempt has been made, in some cases, to provide a realistic market value, an addition to this article that can only bring grief to the writer.

TA CHUNG

TA CHUNG T'UNG PAO, A.D. 1368.

See sources in Coole, G-838.



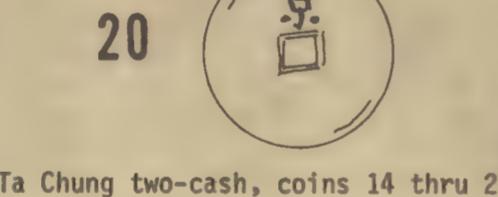
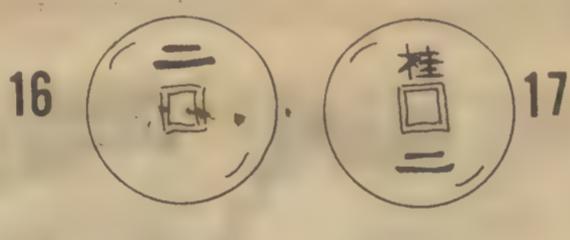
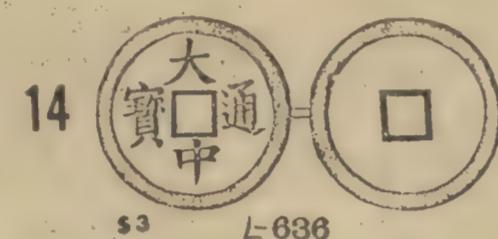
Ta Chung one-cash, coins 1 thru 13.

1. Regular issue, blank reverse. \$ 1.50
2. CHEKIANG (CHE) mintmark. 3.00
3. PEI P'ING ("standard weight") 10.00
4. YU (Honan mintmark) 10.00
5. YI (number one)* 15.00
6. CHING (capital city mint)* 50.00

* The first capital was at Nanking which was then called Yi-T'ien-Fu.

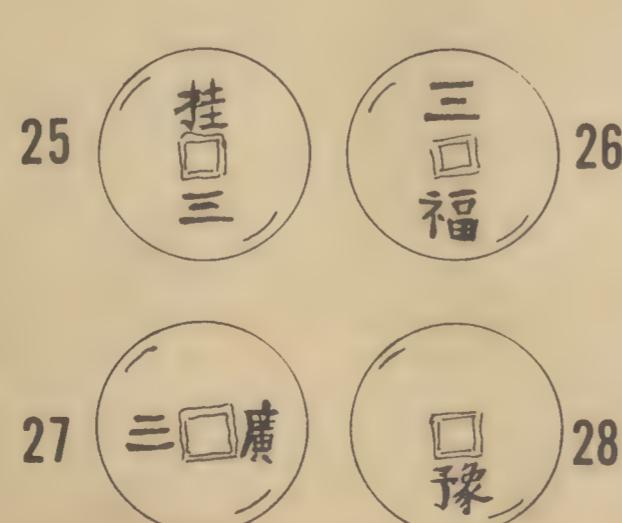
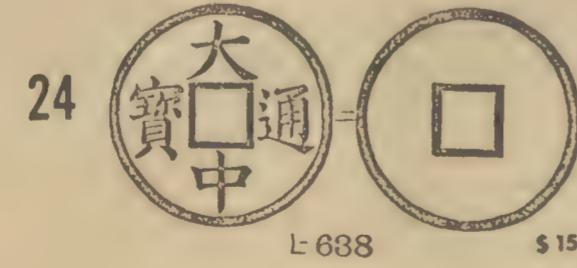
7. HU (Hupeh province mint) 25.00
8. CH'I (Shantung prov. mint) 25.00
9. FU (Fukien province mint) 15.00
10. KUEI YI (Kuelin number one) 3.00
11. KUANG (Canton mint) 5.00
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13. "JI" (Japanese copy)** 150.00

** One of a series known as *Kajiki sen*. Cast in Japan, and very popular there.



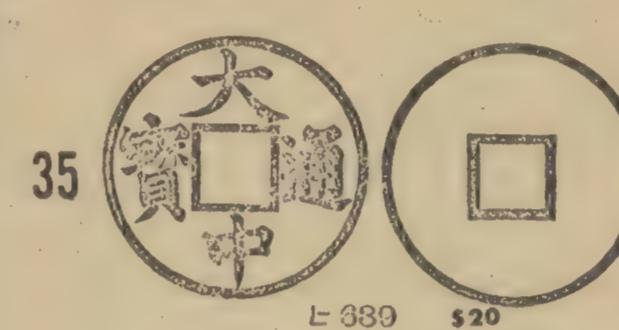
Ta Chung two-cash, coins 14 thru 23.

14. Regular issue, blank reverse. \$ 3.00
15. Chekiang mintmark. 5.00
16. ERA (numeral two) 15.00
17. KUEI ERA (Kuelin, two) 12.50
18. ERA KUANG (Two, Canton mint) 15.00
19. ERA FU (Two, Fukien mint) 12.50
20. CHING (capital mint) 15.00
21. Hupeh (not illustrated) 30.00
22. Shantung (not illustrated) 30.00
23. Honan (not illustrated) 22.50



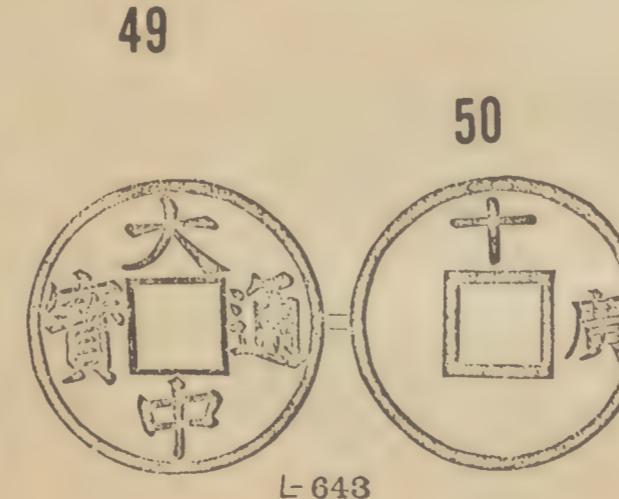
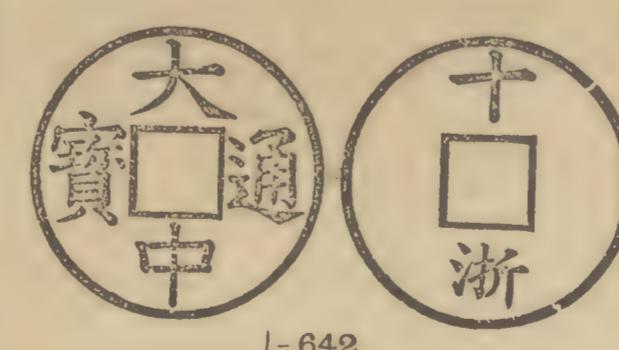
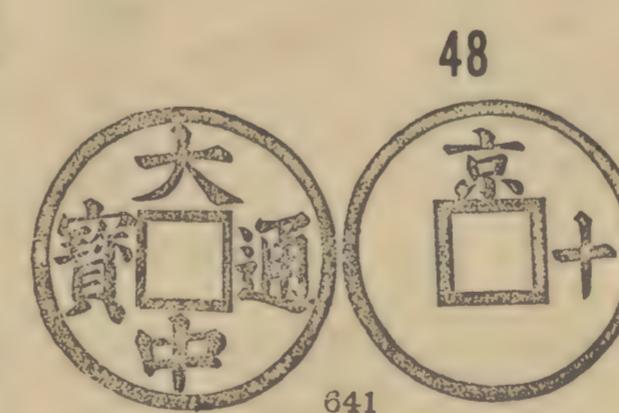
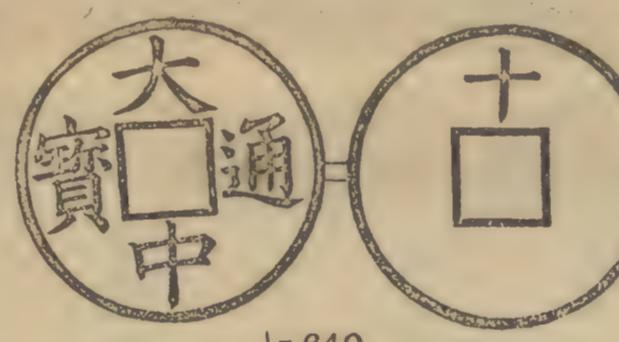
Ta Chung Three-cash, coins 24 thru 34.

24. Regular issue, blank reverse. \$15.00
25. KUEI SAN (Kuelin, three) 50.00
26. SAN FU (Three, Fukien) 35.00
27. SAN KUANG (Three, Canton) 50.00
28. YU (Honan mintmark) 15.00
29. PEI P'ING ("standard weight") 25.00
30. CHE (Chekiang mint) 15.00
31. CH'I (Shantung mint) 75.00
32. CHING (the capital mint) 35.00
33. SAN (numeral three) unknown
34. HU (Hunan mint) unknown

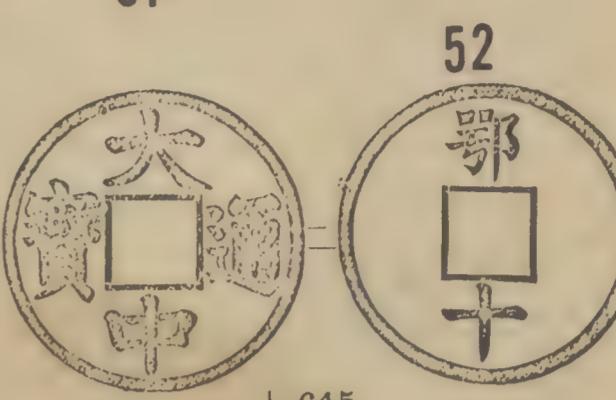
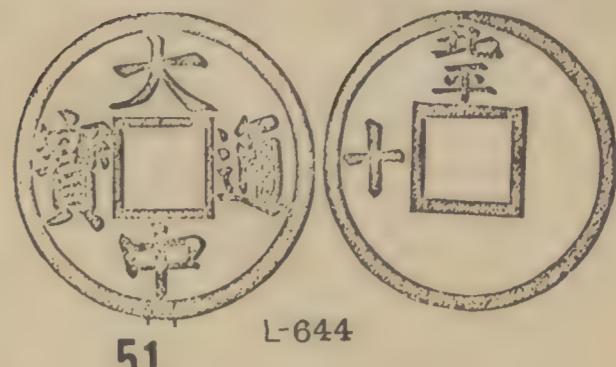


Ta Chung Five-cash, coins 35 thru 46.

35. Regular issue, blank reverse. \$20.00
36. PEI P'ING ("standard weight") 25.00
37. WU (numeral five) 25.00
38. HU (Hupeh mint) 75.00
39. CHING (capital mint) 75.00
40. CHE (Chekiang mint) 10.00
42. CH'I (Shantung Mint) 75.00
43. KUEI WU (Kuelin, five) 100.00
44. FU WU (Fukien mint, five) 35.00
45. YU (Honan mint) 12.50
46. KUANG WU (Canton mint, five) 25.00



Ta Chung Ten-cash, coins 47 thru 57.



47. SHIH (number ten) \$ 15.00
48. SHIH CHING (capital 10) unknown
49. SHIH CHE (10-Chekiang) unknown
50. SHIH KUANG (10-Canton) unknown
51. PEI P'ING SHIH (std 10) unknown
52. HU SHIH (Hupeh 10) unknown
53. CH'I SHIH (Shantung 10) unknown
54. KUEI SHIH (Kuelin 10) unknown
55. FU SHIH (Fukien 10) 15.00
56. YU SHIH (Honan 10) unknown
57. Regular blank reverse 15.00

RECOMMENDED READING:

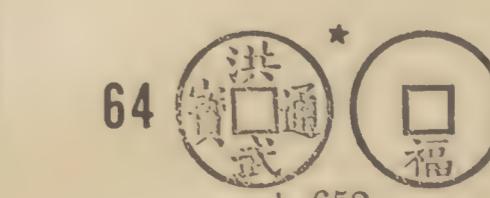
J-456, *Shintei Showa Sempu*, volume nine illustrates 90 rubbings of TA CHUNG.

343, *Ku Ch'ien Ta T'zu Tien*, in Chinese, illustrates a wide variety of TA CHUNG.

HUNG WU

HUNG WU T'UNG PAO, A.D. 1368

See sources in Coole, G-459.



(To be continued in a later issue. Your comments are appreciated.)

CASH ON THE LINE 4

CORRECTIONS NEEDED IN BOOK ON ANNAM COINS

Ever since I wrote A WORKING AID FOR COLLECTORS OF ANNAM COINS I've been regretting it. There are a variety of reasons, the most important of which has to be the number of errors that crept in and which I am, of course, responsible for. In hopes of taking care of just one area, here is a list of reign titles that I should have used -- but didn't. These are correct, so please make the necessary changes in your copy.

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047.	THIEN HI THONG BAO	28	CANH HUNG CHI BAO	248
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080.	VINH DINH CHI BAO	38	CANH HUNG CU BAO	260
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ALPHA INDEX

And now, perhaps to make up for the great troubles I've caused you, here is an alphabetical listing of the Annamese reign titles found in my book. This includes both the correct and the incorrect. It should be of great help.

Wish I had included it in the beginning. I had to count strokes, too.

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BOOKS

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Dear Sir:

Here is my answer to the Collectors Quiz on page 12 of your June 30 issue. STAR MAN (DC Comics)

You have an excellent publication and much credit is due you for your original format. Keep up the fine work. If possible I would like to keep receiving your paper for the next few months, I will probably be unable to buy anything because I will be going to college this Fall and money is scarce but I would like to see what you are offering.

Very truly yours.
Gary Borkan

Stan, or rather Marcia,

I'd like to thank you for sending me your Collectors' Den. My subscription is on the way, along with some items for the next Auction. Ron Rakun might like to know the following mistakes in his article: Mystic, 2nd series, ran 4 issues not 3. #4 contained the Destroyer and the Young Allies. Daring Mystery became just Daring with #9 and ran to #12. Daring Mystery stopped with #8 was continued as Comedy #9 & 10, then was revived as Daring for #9-12. Complete #2 was a continuation of Amazing #1. There was no All Winners #20, Timely also put out Miss. America #1, 2 (1944), Marvel Boy #1, 2 (1950). All Winners (one shot 1948) w/capt., H.T., Subby, B. Phan., Namora 1-3 (1948), Sun Girl 1-3 (1948) and Red Raven (1940 one shot).

The article could have been done from any of the numerous indexes available. If you want, I'll do one on E.C. How about it?

Jeff Anderson

Dear Stan:

Many thanks for the copies of Collectors Den. I enjoy the publication very much - Enclosed is \$2.50 for a years subscription. Also I would like to order the following Mexican Coins from. Page #10.

William V. Kaiser

Thanks for sending the Collectors Den. You should work out something real good the way the paper is shaping up. You need more ads of better coins for sale. Also a trading column. I think she's gonna go.....

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VANITY, THY NAME IS VICTORIA

BY Marcia Rupert

To age the way we would like to, the wish of almost everyone, especially we females. Queen Victoria came as close to having this wish come true as anyone.

The Stately Queen reigned for 63 years, from 1838 until her death in 1901. The coinage of Great Britain and the Commonwealth bore her portrait throughout her entire reign. As Queen, she had the final word on any portraits to appear on the coinage. One would assume that her female vanity probably played a part in her selection of a most becoming likeness.

Victoria was but a young girl when she took the Throne. Her first likeness to appear on the coinage showed her facing left, her hair pulled back from her face and neck in waves with a cascade of curls at the back of her head, a very regal young queen, looking almost like a Greek Goddess. This portrait is referred to as the "Young Head".

The "Young Head" Victoria remained on all denominations until 1887 with but one exception. In 1847 a beautifully designed crown was issued to commemorate the 10th year of her reign. Victoria emerged in beautiful Gothic Style, a most classic example of Victorian Art. This "Gothic" design remained on the Florin from 1849 until 1887.

In 1887, her Golden Jubilee year, the coinage was redesigned and depicted the now aging queen with a much heavier profile and a small crown balanced none too securely on top of her head.

The Jubilee Portrait was replaced in 1893 by a portrait more suited to the queen, now in her 74th year, again a heavier profile, however quite becoming for a woman of her age. A veil draped from her larger crown. This portrait, later called the "Old Head" was used until her death in 1901.

A historic queen, however, it has been disputed that she was as becoming as her coinage shows her. But as Queen, this is how she saw herself, how she wished her subjects to see her. This was her choice, and perhaps her vanity too???



AUCTION SALE NO. 90

COLLECTORS DEN

Aug. 4, 1969

This BIDBOARD - MAILBID sale is in two sessions. The FIRST SESSION consists of Lots No. 1 thru No. 359. CLOSING DATE IS SATURDAY, AUG. 16, '69 at 4:00 P.M.

The SECOND SESSION of Lots No. 360 thru 800.

CLOSING DATE IS SATURDAY, AUG. 30, '69 at 4:00 P.M.

All lots listed will be on display at our store and offices at 151 Wonderland Shopping City, San Antonio, Tex. for duration of sale.

You may bid what you please. The prices listed are strictly catalog values. The lots may sell for more or less than these values. You will be notified at the end of each session if your bids are successful.

Standard grades and reference numbers are used in the descriptions. You will be very satisfied with our grading. You have a five day return privilege.

FIRST SESSION

Closing Date: Aug. 16, 4:00 P.M.

LOT NO.	DESCRIPTION	CATALOG VALUE
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U. S. LARGE CENTS		
1-V	1795 AG/Good, corr., small obverse dent	20.00
2-V	1800/179 F-VF	50.00
3-V	1801, obv. AG; rev Fr-AG	8.00
4-V	1801, 3 errors type, Abt F.	75.00
5-V	1802 1/000, nice Fine	47.50
6-V	1803 1/100 over 1/000 AG-G	15.00
7-V	1806 VF, a very pretty coin, minute rev edge nick	120.00
8-V	1807 sm 7/6, Good, corr	75.00
9-V	1808 13 stars, Abt F; corr	42.50
10-V	1810 normal, VG+	25.00
11-V	1814 Pl. 4; AG/Good	12.00
12-V	1817 wide date, Good+	6.50
13-V	1817 G+, corr., close date	6.75
14-V	1818, Fine-VF	15.00
15-V	1819 sm. dt; XF+, cleaned	70.00
16-V	1821 close date, Fine, scarce	48.00
17-V	1823/22, rare date, AG/G	20.00
18-V	1824/22, G-VG	16.00
19-V	1825 Poor	4.00
20-V	1826/25, Fine-VF	51.25
21-V	1827, VF/XF	45.00
22-V	1829 Lg. Ltrs; F-VF	15.00
23-V	1830 sm. ltrs; nice VF/XF	70.00
24-V	1833 Fine, dark	8.75
25-V	1834 lg. dt; sm. ltrs; and stars, VF+	52.50
26-V	1835 type of 36, VG	7.50
27-V	1836, sharp XF	70.00
28-V	1837 sm. ltrs; B.H.C., VF/XF	32.50
29-V	1839 Booby head, XF	95.00
30-V	1839 Silly head, XF	115.00
31-V	1840 Lg. dt; Fine, corr	11.00
32-V	1841 VF	19.00
33-V	1843 obv, 42 rev, Fine+	14.00
34-V	1844 VF, slightly rough	14.00
35-V	1849, Abt XF, corr	20.00
36-M	1851 Good, been cleaned	3.00
37-V	1853 VG, corr	4.00

CENTS

LOT NO.	DESCRIPTION	CATALOG VALUE
38-M	1880 Abt Fine	2.75
39-M	1883 Fine, dark	3.00
40-D	1909vdb, nice XF, some luster & toning	2.25
41-Q	1956P, unc-BU, 16 coins	3.20
42-P	1960P small date, BU	5.25
43-P	same as above lot	
44-Q	Roll 1939S, G-VF	10.00
45-Q	Roll 1943D, G-VF	6.25
47-Q	Roll 1949S, G-Fine+	4.25
48-Q	Roll 1949S, G-VF	5.00
49-Q	Roll 1954S, VG-VF+	4.00
50-Q	Roll 1960D sm. dt; F-AU	4.00

THREE CENTS THRU NICKELS

LOT NO.	DESCRIPTION	CATALOG VALUE
51-X	3¢ nick, 1865 VG	2.25
52-X	3¢ nick, 1873 Fine	4.00
53-M	5¢ 1883 no/cents VF; slight gold plating	3.75
54-M	5¢ 1919-D Good, weak date	3.00
55-Q	5¢ Warnick set, G-VF	3.25
56-Q	5¢ Warnick set, G-Fine+	3.00
57-Q	5¢ Warnick set, G-VF	3.25
58-Q	5¢ Roll 1926P, AG-VG	10.50
59-Q	5¢ Roll 1929P, AG-G+	8.25
60-Q	5¢ Roll 1935P, AG-Fine	8.00
61-Q	5¢ Roll 1936D, G-F+	7.50
62-Q	5¢ Roll 1937P, AG-F+	5.00
63-Q	5¢ Roll 1938P, G-F+	6.25
64-Q	5¢ Roll 1939P, G-F+	6.25

DIMES

LOT NO.	DESCRIPTION	CATALOG VALUE
65-X	1835, obv G+, rev AG	4.75
66-X	1859-O, nice clean good	2.00
67-X	1888-S, Good	3.00
68-R	1926D, BU	50.00
69-G	1945 micro "S", VF	2.50
70-G	1923P, 5 coins; 1925D; 28S; 17S; 20S; 2 coins, 10 coins total, AG-VG	3.55

Hear ye, hear ye,

No doubt you noticed the length of time of session #1 on bidboard #89. We had to run it for two weeks longer than normal to adjust the lead time in printing to make sure mail bidders had time to bid. But all is now well. As a matter of fact, we are now on a very definite schedule starting with this issue. This schedule was explained in the last issue. Up to now we have been trying just to get organized. You can't imagine what it is like to put out this paper, run the store, run the bidboard and still stay married. And we only have five people doing all this. I don't know what Stan is loosing more of, hair or sleep.

After 4 or 5 boards, you begin to get an idea of what sells and what doesn't. We are in pretty good shape because about everything is selling. However, we have noticed that the junk lots are not doing well. By junk lots I mean a group of items of all sorts that list for \$2.00, or around there. We found that they don't sell for enough to make it worthwhile for people to put them up. Lately we have been getting a good quality of coins, stamps, etc. and it is getting better all the time. For this reason, in the future, we are planning on rejecting these junk lots that we know are just junk and won't sell. This will save the seller from paying a buy-back commission and it will save the bidders from having to read thru all this in the paper. We will, of course, keep taking lots of groups that catalog over \$5.00 and singles that catalog over \$2.00. We are aiming at a better quality of items on the board. I would like to explain one thing however. This doesn't mean that we want only B.U. items. A 1910-S U.S. 1¢ in Good, sells just as well as an XF. The only thing that we want to get away from is the junk groups.

Next month I plan on talking about grading, and in particular, the way I describe the lots on the bidboard. There is something that I am curious about.. Toned Coins. I am not going to make my feelings known at this time, but I do plan on airing my views in the near future. I would appreciate any comments that you care to make on Toned Coins. Feel perfectly free to write me a line or two.

Better close for now, take care and see you next month. If you have any questions, or gripes, or anything you wish to talk about, feel free to write.



WITH CUP OF TEA IN HAND--

Ray

LOT NO.	DESCRIPTION	CATALOG VALUE
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QUARTERS THRU DOLLARS

71-M	1898 VG; 1899 G+.	2.25
72-M	1906 AG, 1907 VG+.	2.00
73-J	1917P T1, XF	14.50
74-N	1925P-29P; 10 coins, 5 diff; from AG-VF	5.00
75-G	1935D, Fine	2.00
76-G	1938S, Abt Fine	2.75
77-G	1939S, Fine	3.00
78-G	1940P VF; 40D Fine; 40S F+	6.10
79-N	1932-39D, 10 pcs, 6 diff from AG-VG+.	5.00
80-N	1932-39D, 10 pcs, 6 diff from AG-VG+.	5.00
81-N	1932-39D, 20 pcs, 5 diff, from AG-VG+.	10.00
82-G	1932P; 34P; 36P; 37D; 38P; 5 coins G-VF.	5.75
83-G	1935S; 37P; 39P; 40P; 40S; 5 coins VG+-Fine.	4.95
84-G	1942P VF; 42D VG+; 42S VF.	3.15
85-J	5¢ 1825 VG	10.00
86-M	5¢ 1923S, VG	3.00
87-G	5¢ 1933-S, VG	2.25
88-J	5¢ 1945P, BU	6.75
89-J	5¢ COMMEM. 1918 Illinois Cent. XF	15.00
90-J	5¢ COMMEM. 1925 Stone Mt. Memorial, BU	11.50
91-J	Trade \$1. 1878S, F-Fine+, rev edge nick	27.50

GOLD FIVE DOLLAR INDIANS

92-Y	1908, Fine+	45.00
93-Y	1909-0, scarce coin in any grade, this one is an XF, and, guaranteed genuine	325.00
94-Y	1913, AU	75.00
95-Y	1914, AU	75.00
96-Y	1915-S, XF	70.00
97-Y	1916-S, AU	90.00

NOTE

Letters following the lot numbers are to indicate to the owners which lots are theirs. These letters do not have to be used on bid sheets.

LOT NO.	DESCRIPTION	CATALOG VALUE
98-W	#800, 802, 988, 1008, 1011, 1019, 1022, 1028-29, 1060 Mnt	3.97
99-W	#891, 1067-68, 1071-72, 1077, 1079, 1081-83, 1085-91, Mint	6.68
100-W	#1067-68, 1072, 1083, 1085-95, Mint	5.40
101-W	#1072, 1085-96, Mint	

LOT NO.	DESCRIPTION	CATALOG VALUE	LOT NO.	DESCRIPTION	CATALOG VALUE	LOT NO.	DESCRIPTION	CATALOG VALUE
National Geographics Cont'd.								
159-T June 1921	5.50	240-C Belg. 20 Francs, 1934, Y49	316-X Ire. 1/2 crown 1962 BU, Y16a	3.50	387-V 1839, Fine, slight edge nicks	17.50		
160-T August 1921	5.50	grades fine	317-M Italy 20c, Y79a, mixed	2.25	and slight corr			
161-T October 1921	5.50	241-X Brit. Guiana, 4 pence,	dates from VF-XF	2.00	388-V 1839, head of 1840, VF++	30.00		
162-T Aug, Sept, Oct, Dec 1922	20.00	1910, Y2, Abt XF	318-C Italy, 1 Lira 1862, VF Y12	2.00	389-V 1840 Sm. Dt., XF	60.00		
163-T July 1924	5.50	242-X B. Guiana, 1c, 1939-54, 28	319-C Italy, 1 Lira 1924, Unc Y65	2.00	390-V 1842 Sm. Dt., F-VF	12.00		
164-T September 1924	5.50	coins, 9 diff, G-VF	320-C Italy, 1 Lira 1922, Unc Y65	2.00	391-V 1843 Obv, 1844 rev, VF	25.00		
165-T June, July 1925	10.00	243-M B. Honduras, 1c 1961, Y23	321-C Italy, 2 Lire 1924, XF-AU	2.00	392-M 1846 Good	3.50		
166-T September 1926	5.50	15 BU coins	edge nick Y66	2.00	393-V 1851 XF+, toned	45.00		
167-T June 1927	4.00	244-M B. Honduras, 1c 1961, 20 Unc-	322-C Italy, 2 Lire 1939 AU Y82a	2.00	394-V 1857, AG, scarce coin, been			
168-T September 1927	4.00	BU coins, Y23	323-C Italy 5 Lire, 1927, Au-	2.00	run-over by Mack truck			
169-T October 1927	4.00	245-X B. Honduras, 1c 1964 BU, 20 pcs	324-M Italy, Y101, 5 Lire, mixed	2.00				
ENGLAND								
170-D 1/2 penny, 1867 Abt VF, Y16	2.50	246-X B. Honduras, 50c, 1854 Good, Y5	dates, 40 pcs, VF-Unc	5.00	CENTS Cont'd.			
171-G 1/2 penny 1879 F+, sm scr	2.25	247-X B. Honduras, 50c 1907, nice G+	325-C Italy 10 Lire, Y68, 1929 VF	2.00	385-M 1880, 81, 84, 3 Good coins	3.30		
172-G 1/2 penny 1881H, Au, luster	12.50	248-X B. Honduras, 50c 1919 VG	326-M Italy 10 Lire, Y102, mixed	4.00	396-M 1886 Variety 2, Grades Good	2.00		
173-G 1/2 penny 1881H, AU, luster	12.50	250-X B. Honduras, 50c 1919 VG	dates, 25 VF-AU coins	4.00	397-D 20 pcs from 1860-1956, AG-VF+	3.00		
174-X 1/2 penny 1913 F+, eg nick	3.00	251-M Cameroon, Y8, 1 Francs, 1948	327-M Lux. 25c, Y30a, 1954, 100	10.00	398-P 1960P small date BU	5.25		
175-M 1/2 penny 1938, F-AU, 18 pcs	25.00	10 pieces Unc-BU	pcs from VF-BU, mostly BU		399-P same as above lot			
176-M 1/2 penny, 1939, 3; 1940, 5;	15.00	252-D Canada 1c 1882H, G+	328-M Lux. 25c, Y30a, 40 pcs	4.00	400-Q Roll 1943P, VG-VF	7.50		
1941, 3; 8 AU-Unc coins	15.00	253-D Can. 1c 1890H, Fine	mixed dates, XF-BU		401-Q Roll 1943S, G-VF	12.00		
177-M 1/2 penny 1942, 10 VF-AU pcs.	6.50	254-D Can. 1c 1919 AU, some luster	329-M Malaya & Brit. N. Borneo	5.00	402-Q Roll 1942S, G-Fine+	7.50		
178-M 1/2 penny 1942, 20 AU-Unc pcs	22.50	255-D Can. 1c 1929 Fine; 35 nice AU	1c, YA1, 1961, 25 BU pcs		403-Q Roll 1949S, G+VF	5.00		
179-M 1/2 penny 1943, 25 AU-UNC pcs.	21.00	256-D Can. 1c 1931 Fine, Y16	330-X Mauritius 1/2 Rupee 1934,	6.00	404-Q Roll 1954P, VG-XF	10.00		
180-X 1/2 penny 1826, XF, edg knock	22.50	257-G Can 5c 1870, VF-XF, flat	nice SF+, Y9		405-Q Roll 1954S, VG-VF+	4.00		
181-X 1/2 penny 1827, George 4th,		258-D Can 5c 1886, AG	331-X Mauritius 1/2 Rupee 1936 XF Y9	5.00	406-X THREE CENTS THRU NICKELS			
XF-AU, toned	30.00	259-D Can 5c 1901, Fine+	332-M Morocco, 1 Franc 1951, Y46,		406-X 3¢ nickel, 1866 VG	2.25		
182-X 1/2 penny 1861, Fine	3.00	260-D Can 5c 1907, Fine	50 coins all BU		407-D 3¢ nickel, 1881 VG	3.25		
183-G 1/2 penny 1861, nice XF	22.00	261-D Can 10c, 1903 Good	333-X New Zea. shilling 1934 VF+	2.00	408-M 5c, 1910 F+, redd corr on obv	3.00		
184-X 1/2 penny 1895, AU, some luster	7.50	262-H Can \$1, 1963 BU	334-Z New Zea. 1/2 crowns, 1933 VG;		409-M 5c, 1920D VG, red corr	4.25		
185-P 1/2 penny 1904 VF	6.00	263-H Can. \$1, 1963 BU	34 VG; 42 F; 46 VF; ;	10.00	410-Q 5c Warnick set, G-F+	3.00		
186-X 1/2 penny 1908 XF	8.00	264-H Can. \$1 1963 BU	335-Z New Zea. Crown 1949 BU	14.50	411-Q same as above			
187-G 1/2 penny 1929, VF-XF, cleaned	2.50	265-H Can. \$1 1963, 5 BU coins	336-C Poland 50 Groszy 1923 BU Y13	2.00	412-Q same as above			
188-M 1/2 penny 1946, 5 F-VF coins	3.50	266-H Can. \$1 1963, 2 BU coins	337-C Poland 10 Zlotych, 1964-1964		413-G 1929P, 2 pcs; 1929S, 2 pcs;			
189-X 1/2 penny 1954, AU-BU, scarce		267-H Can. \$1, 1967, in cello.	Commem BU		1958P, 3 pcs; 7 coins VG-VF	4.10		
in this grade	10.00	268-G Can, 1c 1918 Fine, 25¢	338-X Philippines, 24 coins, 1¢-10¢		414-Q Roll 1927P, AG-G+	8.25		
190-X 1 penny 1807, Fine	6.00	1933 Good+, 2 coins	1960-63, VF-BU	2.50	415-Q Roll 1930P, AG-VG+	10.00		
191-X 1 penny 1826, XF, nice coin	30.00	269-X Ceylon, 1/2 farthing, F-VF, Y2	339-X Phil. 50c 1920, Y4, key date		416-Q Roll 1936P, G-Fine+	6.50		
192-G 1 penny, 1887, nice VF, small		270-M Ceylon, Y28, 7 pcs; Y28a,	420,000 mndt. VF, weak struck		417-Q Roll 1937P, AG-Fine	5.00		
reverse corr spot	7.00	6 pcs, 13 coins VG-VF.	date, F-VF		418-Q Roll 1937D, G-F+	6.50		
193-G 1/2 penny 1896 XF+, slight lust.	7.50	271-A Chile, 1/2 real, 1791, VG,	340-X Phil. 50c 1936 VF/XF Y26	20.00	419-Q Roll 1938P, G-F+	6.25		
194-X 1/2 penny 1899 XF-AU	7.50	2 dents, scarce coin	341-X Phil. 1 Peso 1903S, VF+ Y21	7.50	420-H Roll 1942D, F+XF	45.00		
195-X 1/2 penny 1900, VF/XF	2.75	272-A Columbia, 8 reales, 1821,	342-X Phil. 1 Peso 1907S, VF Y25					
196-X 1/2 penny 1918H, semi-key, VG	5.00	AG, holed, Bogota mint,	sev sm scrs	4.25				
197-X 1/2 penny 1918KN, VG, semi-key	7.50	SDNSA #8, scarce	343-G Phil. 1 Peso 1908S, Fine					
198-P 1/2 penny 1936, XF-AU	5.50	273-G Columbia, 50c, 1912, VF, Y49	Y25, some discoloring	3.50				
199-P 1/2 penny 1937 XF-AU, toned	2.00	274-G Columbia, 5c 1968, Comm.	344-X Phil. 1 Peso 1908S, XF, Y25	8.00				
200-P 1/2 penny 1953 XF, slight lust.	4.00	of Pope Paul's visit, BU	345-X Phil. 1 Peso 1909S, Abt XF,					
201-M penny, 10 diff, AG-Unc	7.30	275-D Cuba, 10c, 1915, VF+	Y25, some scratches	10.00				
202-M penny, 20 diff, AG-Unc	13.40	276-A Czech. 10 Korun, 1928, AU,	346-X Phil. 1 Oeso, 1910S, Abt XF					
203-G 1/2 penny, 25 diff, AG-Unc	16.80	nicely toned, Y11	been corr then cleaned	5.00				
204-G 3pence 1915 VF, 1926 Good	2.00	277-A Denmark, 1 Rigsdaler 1854,	347-X Phil. 1 Peso 1912-S, Y25,	17.50				
205-P 3pence 1937 nickel, BU	5.00	nice toned XF	VF+, 680,000 minted					
206-G 4pence, 1706, Fine, scrs	6.00	278-G Dominican Rep. 1 Peso 1897	348-A Phil-Peru 8 Reales, 1832,					
207-P 4pence, 1842, obv VG, rev F+	2.00	Abt Good, Y11	Coin abt fine, counterstamped					
208-G shilling, 1918, VF+	3.50	279-D France, 1 Fran, 1918, Y63	VF, wear on rec from stamp	40.00				
209-G shilling 1919, florin 1940,		2 coins both XF, 2 Francs	349-A Phil-Bolivia Crown, 1834,					
1/2 crowns 1946, 51; 4 VG+XF	5.60	1918, y64, XF-AU	Y11 VG, counterstamped	40.00				
PANAMA								
210-G 2c, 1929, VF+, Y-3	2.00	350-C S. Africia, 3pence 1896 F-VF	421-X 1887 Fine, grainy	3.00				
211-G 5c, 1904, VG, Y-6	2.00	351-C Spain 8 Maravedi 1848, VG-	422-M 1910; 12; 13, all 3 VG+ Fine	2.75				
212-G 1/2 Balboa, VG 1933, Y14	2.50	Fine, slight rev corr, YB4	423-M 1931D, VF+	16.00				
213-G 1/2 Balboa, 1934 VG, Y14, a key	5.00	352-C Spain 5c 1870, AU, Y53	424-G 1945 micro "S", XF, luster	2.00				
214-G 1/2 Balboa, 1961-1; 1962-4; 6		353-C Spain 1 Peseta 1891 Fine Y80	1917D; 17S; 19S; 20S; 28S;					
BU coins	3.85	354-C Spain 1 Peseta 1896 F+, Y88	24S; 45 micro "S"; AG-VF+	5.30				
215-G 1/2 Balboa, 1930; 33; 34, all VG	4.75	355-C Spain 1c 1868 Y37 Fine; 2 1/2	55S XF, 2 coins, 5 coins tot.	3.45				
216-G 1/2 Balboa 1953 BU, Y20	2.00	VF, edge knock Y38; 2 coins						
217-G 1/2 Balboa 1953, frosty BU	2.00	356-A Australia florin 1954 VG Y34;						
218-G same as above		Hungary 5 Pengo 1943 BU Y57						
219-G 1/2 Balboa 1962, Y15, 4 BU pcs	4.00	357-D British & Commonwealth, 10						
220-G Un Balboas, 1931, XF, Y16	2.75	1947 one yr type, Choice BU	coins from G-VF	4.00				
221-G Un Balboa, 1934, VF+, Y16	2.50	1947, security edge, VF,	358-A Gem foreign lot of 50 coins,					
222-G Un Balboa, 1953, Y21, key		several edge nicks	9 diff countries, 17 diff					
date, AU, scrs	9.00	2						

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459-Y 1909D, AU	77.50	460-Y 1912S, AU	82.50	461-Y 1914P, XF	70.00	462-Y 1915S, XF	70.00	463-Y 1916S, XF	70.00	MISCELLANEOUS Cont'd.																																																																																									
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464-W Mint Blk of 4, Scott#614	3.50	465-W Mint Blk of 4, #631, imperf	2.25	466-W Mint Blks of 4, #732; 737; 776; 788; 793; 864; 1014-18; 1021; 1023-24; 1066; 1069; 1071-72; 1077; 1081-83; 1085-87.	4.90	495-S Button badge, Chas Lindberg 1927, cello pinback, abt 3/4" diam, "Welcome Lindy", r/w/blue border, mint	5.00	496-D Button badge, Santa Claus w/child, 31mm, 3 tone, "Hills, McLean, & Haskins, VF-XF	4.00	497-D Button badge, Santa Claus, 31mm, 3 tone, Santa w/child, "Leiter Bros" VF-XF	4.00	498-D Button badge, Santa Klaus, Klaus Dept Store, 1 1/4" diam w/picture of Santa, AU	4.00	499-K Pin, approx 33mm, Texas bankers Ass., Houston Tx, May 19, 20, 21, 1925, Gilt XF	5.00	500-S Cello pinback, 1 1/4", w/photo of John Harris, black & white, for contribution to Mem. Library, w/r/w/blue ribb, "Old Home week/Oct 1-7, 1905, Harrisburg Pa choice XF condition	5.50	501-D Lapel pins, Masonics, Shriners etc, 12 pins, Fine-BU	16.50	502-C Key Fob, leather w/pin attached, M.C. & LPA U.S. & Canada, Toronto 1906, pin AU, leather fine	7.50	503-S Movie House badge, #189, "Hal Roach Studios Inc, brass 38mm, VF-XF condit	4.50	504-D Advertising mirror, "Cavitts system regulator", patented medicine, XF, nice item	5.00	NATIONAL GEOGRAPHICS																																																																									
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474-N 25 diff wooden 5¢	4.00	475-N same as above		476-V Token. "Groton cent. Aug 6-12, Groton NY", Good for 50¢ 1960, VF-XF	2.00	477-V Sales Tax tokens, 10 pcs, all diff, VG-BU	5.50	478-D Token, 25mm, Obv George IV King of G.B., Rev "Crowned July 19, 1821, Abt Fine	3.50	479-C Token, 39mm, Alaska, 49th state, Good for \$1 in trade all yr, gilt BU	2.00	480-C So-Called Doll, H&K#466, Ford Expo 1934, bronze, very scarce, AU	17.50	481-C Medal set, 3 pcs, antiqued silver, bronze, and alum., All BU, honoring U.S.A. Alabama, MOBILE, 43mm.	15.00	482-X Medal, Herbert Hoover for Pres., 1928, Unc	10.00	483-D Medal, 38mm, to Jeff Davis Pres of Confed. States of America, VF-XF, Rev blank	10.00	484-D Medal, 36mm, Obv, United Confed Veterans Reunion, Robt E Lee; Rev crossed flags, VF	10.00	485-D Medal, 23x32mm, "Long Distance Motorcycle Tourist", Rev, Awarded to Wallace Stuart by the motorcycle & allied trades Ass. for 1,000 mile tour 1919, AU, slight corr.	10.00	486-D Medal, two pin bars with hanging shield, top bar "Souvenir", 2nd "In mem. of my army life on the Mex. border", Shield has U.S. eagle & flag w/ "Our count. defenders, XF-AU, nice item Rev, H.H. Stratton, Chatt, Tenn., rev of shield has a list of various raids	17.50	487-S Military decor, WW1, bronze, mint, 32mm, w/r/w/blue ribb. given by Missouri to those who served in war w/Germany 1917-1919	7.50	488-D Medal, 37mm, Obv Jeff Davis; Rev Georgia state fair, Macon Oct 25, 1887, VF-XF, edge knocks, hole on top	7.50	489-C Medal, 38mm, Obv Illinois Sesq 1818-1968; Rev seal of state of Ill, gilt BU	3.50	MISCELLANEOUS																																																																			
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490-D Paper money. "Baraboo Scrip" 50th Anniv Celeb of Ringling Bros Show at Abaaboo Wisc, 3 pcs, 5¢, 10¢, 15¢, redeemable Nov 1, 1933, crisp unc, with Ringling bros pictures	2.50	491-K Paper money, Texas \$10, Criswell #A-5, VF, with slice cancellations	30.00	492-K Paper money, Texas \$50, Act of Cong 9 June 1837, VF+, slice cancells, #H-21	40.00	493-S Political ballot, Official, of Virg. recon. period, Gov. H.H. Wells & others, 1868-70, choice XF condition	4.00	494-S Official Pres. Invitation at White House on Jan 7, 1947 at 9:00, approx 4 3/4" x 5 3/4", w/gold seal of Pres. office, mint. no name, scarce item, engraved, genuine	7.50	495-A Octavo, 1857, Abt fine, above average, Guanajuato	10.00	496-A 1/8 real, 1822, Nueva Viscaya F+, rare in this condition	15.00	497-A 1/8 real, 1835 Mo. Abt fine, reverse dig	2.50	498-A 1/8 real, 1835 Mo. Abt fine, reverse dig	2.50	499-A 1/4 real, 1846 VG, some corr	4.00	500-A 1/4 real, 1860 Good	2.50	MEXICO Cont'd.																																																																													
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551-A 1/4 real, San Luis Potosi, 1860 G	4.00	552-A 1/4 real, 1867 San Luis Potosi, Fine, initials A.E.G.	10.00	553-A 1/4 real 1872 Durango, Sufragio libre, VF, slight rust	7.50	554-X Philip V, 1/2 real, 1737 M.P. C-1, F-VF, holed	5.00	555-M 1/4 1893 Mo, XF, weak rim	3.00	556-C 1/4 1906 N. date, Au-Unc	4.00	557-N 1/4 1906, 50 pcs, AG-VG	10.00	558-N 1/4 1914, 40 pcs, AG-Fine	7.50	559-M 1/4 1914, 45 pcs, AU-Unc	15.00	560-J 2¢ 1913 Fuerzas, Utberg # CHI-13, XF-AU, some luster	7.50	561-M 2¢ 1939, 15 pcs VG-VF, Y29	10.00	562-M 2¢ 1941, 25 pcs F-XF, Y29	15.00	563-X 5¢ 1914 revolution, Chihuahua, c/s 5 on obv, VF	3.00	564-N 5¢ 1935, 20 pcs, AG-F+	5.00	565-M 5¢ 1958, 100 pcs, BU, Y69	25.00	566-J 10¢ Oaxaca Rev, 1915 VF+, portrait a.	2.50	567-J 20¢ Oaxaca Rev, 1915 VF, pitted, portrait C, no T.M.	2.00	568-N 25¢ 1952, 50 F-BU pcs	12.50	569-G 8 real, 1887 Dom.C., XF	5.50	570-G 8 real, 1895 ZSF.Z., Fine+	2.50	571-J 8 real, 1895 ZSF.Z., VF	3.00	572-G 8 real, 1896 GOR.S., AU	3.50	573-J 1 peso, 1901 MoA.M., XF-AU	3.50	574-G 1 Peso, 1902 ZSF.Z., VG, tone	2.00	575-G Peso, 1902 MoA.M., XF, toned	3.50	576-G Peso 1902 MoA.M., AU, some brown spots	3.75	577-G Peso 1903 ZSF.Z., VF+, scrs	3.00	578-G Peso 1904 MoA.M., fine, weak breast on eagle	2.00	579-J Peso 1908 MoA.M., Au-Unc	3.75	580-G Peso 1957 T6, VF, Juarez	2.00	581-A Peso 1957 T6 Juarez, VF-XF	2.50	582-N Peso 1947, 10 pcs, AU-BU	10.00	583-M Peso 1947, 10 pcs, Unc-BU	11.00	584-M Peso 1957, 15 XF-BU pcs	25.00	585-M Peso 1959, 5 XF coins	5.00	586-M Peso 1959, 10 XF-AU coins	10.00	587-M Peso 1959, 10 XF-AU pcs	10.00	588-M Peso 1960, 7 XF-AU pcs	6.00	589-M Peso 1962, 10 BU coins	4.00	590-N Peso 1962, 10 BU coins	4.50	591-J Dos Peso, VF	15.00	592-H 5 Peso 1948 BU Gem	2.50	593-A 5 Peso 1951 BU, Type 4	2.50	594-H 5 Peso 1953, Año de Hid, BU	3.50	595-H 5 Peso 1953, T4, BU	2.00	596-H 5 Peso, 1959 T7, BU Carranza	3.00	597-H 10 Peso 1956 BU	3.00	598-H 10 Peso 1960 BU	4.00	599-C 1¢-50¢, 1910-51, VG-XF, 10 coins, nice mixture	7.00	GENERAL FOREIGN	
600-A Afghanistan, 5 Rupees, Y12, Good		601-A Arman 10 Sapeques, 10 coins 1889-1907, N#107, Avg VG		602-Z Australia penny set, 1911-1964 in Whitman albums # 9663, 9664, 9665; no 1930, 74 G+ to Unc coins, nice		603-X Australia penny 1943 I, XF		604-C Australia 3 pence, 1910, 1911, 1924, all VG-VG+		605-Z Australia florins 1927, 2 coins both Fine, Y7		606-Z Australia Crowns, 1937 VF; 1938 XF, 2 nice coins		607-N Austria 2 Heller, Y33, 100 coins, mixed, F-XF		608-Y Austria set of 2 shillings, Y69-78, 10 AU-BU coins		609-C Belgium 1¢ 1875 AU, Y1		610-C Belgium 2¢ 1873, XI Y2		611-C Belgium 2 Francs, 1924, AU Y29, some luster		612-C Belgium, 14 coins, 1827-1944, 2¢-5 Francs, G-EU, nice lot		613-X Brit Hond 1¢ 1937-1954, 28 coins, 9 diff G-VF		614-M Brit Hond 1¢ Y23, 1961, 10 coins F-Unc		615-X Brit Hond 1¢ 1964, 20 BU pcs		616-X Brit Hond 1¢ 1945-54, 18 pcs 5 diff, F-VF		617-X Brit Hond 50¢ 1895, 2 AG-G		618-X Brit Hond 50¢, 1907 nice G+		619-X Brit Hond 50¢ 1911 Good+		620-X Brit Hond 50¢ 1919 VG		621-M Cameroon 1 Franc, 1948 Y8, 50 pcs Unc-BU		622-G Canada 1¢ 1886 VG, small obv error spot		623-D Canada 1¢ 1910 VF, Y10		624-D Canada 8¢ 1910 VF, 1859-1920 From G to fine+		625-D 5¢ 1871 filler		626-G 5¢ 1889 VF		627-D 5¢ 1905 Fine (bent)		628-D 5¢ 1941 AU-BU, luster		629-D 10¢ 1911 Fine+		630-D 25¢ 1913 Fine (dark)		631-H \$1 1963 BU		632-H same as above		633-H same as above		634-H \$1 1963 BU, 5 coins		635-H \$1 1963 BU, 2 coins		636-H \$1 1967 Gem BU, still in the cellophane from prf-like st		GENERAL FOREIGN																									
637-H Canada 1967 Proof set in a Capitol holder, all nice BU proofs,		638-C Ceylon 2 stivers, 1815 Abt G		639-X China Kwangtung Repub issue 20¢ Y15, Unc		640-G Columbia 50¢ 1870 Fine, Y9		641-G Columb. 50¢ 1875, Bogota mint, VF, Y17		642-D Cuba, 2¢ 1916 VF+		643-D Cuba, 2¢ 1915 VF+		644-D Cuba 20¢ 1916 Fine, Y7		645-M Cyprus 3 mils, 1955, 15 pcs Unc-BU, Y35		646-Z Denmark 2 Kron set, Y15, Y16, 17, 25, 40, 41, 42, 43, 55, 63, 64, plus 5 Kroner Y65, all BU, really beautiful lot of coins		647-G Dominican Repub 1¢ 1877 VF		648-G Dom. Rep. 1¢ 1942; 63; 5¢ 1963; 10¢ 1963; 25¢ 1960, 3-1963's; 8 coins, 7 BU		649-C France, 5 coins, 12D-2 Sols, early lot 1750-1800, AG-G		650-A France, 5 France 1840 VG-F		651-G Guatemala, 10¢ 1964 BU; 25¢ 1943 F+, 1955 XF, 1964 BU; 1/2 quetzal 1926 Fine, 1929 Fine, 6 coins total		652-G Guat. Peso 1896 VF, has a grainy appearance, Y84		653-M Haiti, 5¢ Y20 1958, 40 F-BU		654-G Haiti 50¢ 1882 F+, Y8 (dark)		655-G Honduras Un Lempira 1932 VF; 1933 F+, Y45, 2 coins		656-E Hong Kong, \$1, 1960-2 coins XF & AU, Y30		657-M Iceland 5 Aurar 1946 Y3, 10 VG-AU pieces		658-M India 1 Naya Paisa, Y68, 65 mixed VG-BU pieces		659-D India 1 Rupee 1942 XF		660-X Ireland 1penny, 1959, Y9 8 Unc-BU coins		661-X Ire. 1penny, 1953 BU, 4 coins, plus VF 194-1penny		662-X Ire. pennys 1937 Abt XF; 1942 XF+, 2 coins total		663-X Ire. pennys 2 1962; 5 1963; 8 total all BU		664-X Ire. 6pence 1942 XF, Y12		665-X Ire. 6pence 1961 BU		666-X same as above		667-X same as above		668-X Ire. shilling 1962 BU, Y14a		669-X same as above		670-X same as above		671-X Ire. 2 shillings, 1962 BU		672-X same as above		673-X same as above		674-X 1/2Crown, 1962 BU, Y16a		675-X same as above		676-X same as above		677-C Italy, 5 Lire 1927, Au Jnc toned, Y67		678-C Italy, 9 coins, 10¢-1 Lira, 1866-1962, VF-BU		679-C Japan 100 Mon, Tempa Tsuho Y7, 1837-70, date 1835		680-C Jersey, 1 penny 1877H Abt VF; Guernsey 8 Doubles 1864 VG; 2 coins total		681-C Jersey 1/12th of a shilling 1877H XF, Y8	</td										

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GENERAL FOREIGN Cont'd.		
704-G	Peru 1 Sol 1895 Y22, VF	4.00
705-G	Peru 1 Sol 1923 Y41, VF	3.50
706-G	Peru 1 Sol 1926 Y41, Fine	3.00
707-D	Portugal 2¢ 1918 VF-XF Y35, scarce	12.50
708-C	Portugal 40 Reis set, 3 coins 1812 YS2a VG; 1819 Y68, obv G, rev Fine; 1832 Y90a VF.	12.50
709-A	Romania 500 Lei, 1941 VF with light scratches	25.00
710-A	Romania 100,000 Lei, 1946 nice strong VF+	22.50
711-A	Russia Rouble 1800, D278; Sev 2467; Abt fine, slight weak rev center (scarce)	—
712-G	Salvador Peso 1894 VF, Y7	8.50
713-C	Siam 1 Att, Y22, 1897, Abt fine, edg knock, sev digs	2.00
714-A	Siam Tical, type of 1876- 1907, VG-Fine, Y34	6.50
715-A	Siam Tical, 1913-18 VF, Y45	5.50
716-X	Straits settle. 5¢ 1920, F+	2.00
717-X	Straits Sett. 20¢ 1884 XF+	10.00
718-C	Sweden ½ skilling, Y123, 1827 Good; 1 skilling Y124, 1819 Fine, edg dmg.	2.25
719-C	Sweden 5 Ore 1883 XF, Y16	2.00
720-C	Sweden 5 Ore 1889, sharp AU	2.75
721-C	Sweden 2 Kroner 1956 AU+ Y79	2.00
722-Z	Sweden 2 & 5 Kroners, Y31, 40, 58, 59, 60, 61, 81, 82, all BU, very choice lot	75.00
723-C	Turkey, 9 coins, 1854-1903, 20 Paras - 1 P., VG-VF	4.50
724-G	Venezuela, 1 Bolivar 1960 Y37a, Au & BU, 2 pcs; Ecuador 1 Sucre F Y49; Nicaragua 50¢ 1956 BU; 4 coins total	2.65
725-G	Cuba 25¢ 1953 BU Y21; Columbia 50¢ 1959 XF Y71; Venezuela 2 Bolivars 1945 F+ Y23a;	2.85
726-C	Netherlands & Germany, 7 coins 1889-1952 F-BU, decent lot	6.00
727-C	Mixed for. 15 G-BU coins, 1870-1964	7.50
728-D	Mixed for. 25 coins, G-BU nice mixture	9.00
729-D	Mixed for. 28 coins, AG-BU, many surprises, well mixed	12.50
730-V	Mixed for. 75+ coins, well mixed, decent group	15.00
COMIC BOOKS		
731-U	English weeklys, The Hornet. \$41 & 42, color cover inside black and white (1964)	5.00
732-U	Walt Disney comics & stories Vol 2 #2, VG, Nov 1941, Rare	—
733-U	Crime does not pay #126, 140, 144, 145, 4 VG books	11.00
734-U	Capt Marvel #71, fine cond., April 1947	10.00
735-U	English weekly Tiger & Hurricane (Feb 1967), colored cover, inside b & white	2.50
736-U	English weeklys, The Hotspor #284 & 301, color cover, inside black and white (1965)	5.00
LATE MINUTE ARRIVALS WORTH CHECKING		
737-	Match books, 500+ mostly diff, 1930's and up, some full, some part full, both books and boxes, some foreign, very decent lot with very good mixture, AG-new—	
738-G	Error. 5¢ 1960D bar "O", VF+	2.00
739-G	same as above	
740-O	Silver \$1, This is the rare 1889CC, grades VG, but has many scrs and nicks	66.00
741-C	Token, G.B. George IV, a 5 pound (sterling) gaming token, XF, edge knocks	3.50
742-V	Tokens, lot of 28, Abt 20 diff, nice well mixed	12.50
743-C	Philippines, 1¢-50¢, 1944- 64, XF-BU, 6 coins	3.00
744-M	U.S. 1¢ 1933D, VG-Fine	2.75
745-M	U.S. 1¢ 1936D, BU	2.00
746-M	U.S. 5¢ 1883 w/cents AG	3.75
747-M	U.S. 50¢ 1950D; 51D; VG-VG+	2.25
748-M	Canada 1¢ 1881H; 82H; AG & VG	8.00
749-M	Canada 10¢ 1900 VG	3.00
750-M	G.B. ½penny 1926, XF (dark)	3.00
751-M	G.B. ½penny 1936 BU	4.00
752-M	same as above	
753-M	G.B. ½penny 1939 Unc, lust	2.00
754-M	G.B. florin, 1939 VF+	2.25
755-M	G.B. 3pence 1939, VF+	3.00
756-M	G.B. 6pence 1916, VF-XF dark	2.50
757-M	G.B. 6pence 1939, XF, lust	2.00
762-M	Nevada gaming dollar token. Riviera Hotel, nickel BU	2.50
763-M	So-Called dollar #300, Louisiana purchase, XF-AU, some plating left, Rare	25.00
764-M	New Brunswick token. St. John ½penny, Abt Fine, small dent, #166, good item	12.00
765-M	Elonated cent on counterfeit Canadian 1¢, 5 girls cent, tiny carbon spots, BU	2.50
766-M	Medal from the 1963 American Numis. Ass. Convention in Colorado, bronze 39mm mint medal, blue ribbon	9.00



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Playboys-- Good condition, early material wanted-- must be complete (SF)

Comics wanted-- "Mystery in Space" #53, 55, 57-60, 62, 64, 66, 71-72, 77, 81. "Valor" (EC) #1-2, 4-5. (JSS)

Wanted-- 1950-D nickel VG-F (GH)

Wanted-- Flash Gordon Big Little Books. (PVDB)

Badges-- Texas only-- Rangers, sheriffs, etc. No city police. (RJC)

Wanted-- Manuals for pre-war Volks wagen, Kleinauto, Volksauto, or similar material. Also, stamp savings books for Volkswagen. (DP)

I need the following coins for my collection-- 10¢-- 1921-P

25¢-- 1905, 1913-D, 1918-S, 1921-P, 1923-P, 1924-P.

50¢-- 1913-D, 1915-P, 1916-D, 1955-P (ETH)

Needed-- 1879, 83, 91, 94, 98 German one mark coins. Only nice coins please. (AB)

Balance Scale Pesos needed VF or better. CULICAN: 1899AM, JQ; 1902JQ; 1903JQ, FV; 1904MH, RP; 1905RP.

MEXICO CITY: 1903MA; 1905AM (F+). ZACATECAS: 1900FZ; 1904FM, FZ; 1905 FM. (GPC)

Wanted-- Collections of Worldwide stamps. (SSK)

Choice pre-war Philippines coins wanted. (REK)

Wanted-- Lithuania Y-1-17-1925 (AB)

AU-UNC-- 1881-1895, Y-9, 1 Gourde Haiti; 1841-1848, Y-11, 8 Soles Bolivia; 1898, Y-61, 1 Rouble, Russia (RM)

Nevada Tokens wanted-- Any other Nevada material considered. (JLM)

Playboy Magazines needed-- 1954 Jan-Dec; 1955 Jan, Apr, Aug, Oct; 1956 Oct, Nov; 1957 Nov; 1961 Feb, Mar, Jul, Sep, Nov; 1962 Feb. (JF)

Mexican medals and tokens wanted-- Only choice items. (DA)

Roman Portrait coinage wanted-- High grade only. (GD)

Ancient Greek Coins wanted-- Not the common material. (WH)

Wanted-- Transportation, store and merchant tokens from Louisiana and Mississippi. (PMP)

Original German Beer Steins wanted (EWA)

Railroad relics & material (OB)

Buffalo Nickel-- 1937-3 legged (BB)

Cast Iron toys wanted prefer early (CD)

Wanted-- Barber 25 & 50¢ XF-AU. (FL)

Birth Year Collector-- Worldwide 1901-- I need the following coins-- Bolivia-Y-62; Ceylon-Y-5, 6; Curacao-Y-1; Canada-Y-8, 9; Crete-Y-2; Cyprus-Y-1, 4; France-Y-58, 59; German States- Lubeck-YS-1, Mecklenburg-Schwerin-Y-13, Reuss-Greiz-YS-8, Saxe-Meiningen-YS-8, 9, Oldenburg-YS-10, German E. Africa-Y-2, 3; Great Britain-Y-33; India-YS-2, 17, 18, 20, 21; Luxembourg-Y-4; Morocco-Y-9, 10-13; Netherlands-Y-23; Neth. E. Indies-Y-10, 11; Persia-Y-28; Peru-Y-3; Port. India-Y-15-17; Romania-Y-24, 25, 27; Chile, Denmark, Br. N. Borneo, Ecuador, Hungary, Liberia, Portugal, Tunisia, Salvador, Siam & Venezuela. All coins dated 1901. UNC preferred, VF or better please. (MCS)

Wanted-- Good+ Fugio Cent. (JB)

Wanted-- 1955 Double-die and 1937 3-legged. (DB)

I need the following U.S. coins-- 1¢-- 1909S, 09SVDB, 11S, 14D, 22P.

10¢-- 1916D, 21P, 21D, 42/1.

25¢-- 1932S.

50¢-- 1916S, 18D, 19P, 21P, 21D. (GET)

Pan-Pacific material and Medical

medals needed for my collection. (NSS)

Wanted-- Circulated 1903-0 and 1928-P Silver Dollars. (P)

Liberty Walking 50¢-- Need the following dates XF or better--

1916D&S, 1917S (obv), 1918D, 1919D&S, 1921P, D&S, 1923S. (SO)

Wanted-- 1909-S Indianhead Cent F+ (DLN)

World War-II German helmet and

French Officer's cap. (CB)

MEXICO-- Dos Peso 1921 and 50 Peso 1921 BU Choice only. (LM)

Crowns, minors and gold coins with

chop marks wanted. Also, I need the

punch, hammer and anvil used for

creating the chop marks. (RFK)

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Better material only please (BB)

Boy Scout Handbook #1 wanted (FD)

Wanted any and all Zeppelin material. (FS)

Columnbian Exposition material-- medals, tokens, glassware, etc. (WHD)

1931-1936 good condition wooden money wanted (RK)

Wanted-- 1906 \$20.00 Gold (CD)

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Canadian Tokens-- Charlton #175, 176 (John Joy) and 169 (Sheaf of wheat). (RK)

Illinois provisionals-- metal or paper. Also, Kentucky official paper issues (12x12). (RK)

Kristenstad, Texas-- Need any script (barter or depression). Also 5, 10, 25, 50¢ & \$1.00 metal tokens, circa 1933. (RK)

Napoleon-- Any material including papers, prints, medals, coins, etc. (CRA)

German Coins Wanted-- Need the following----

20pf-- 1873A, B, D, E, F, G, H; 1874C, E, G, H; 1875B, C, E, G, H, J; 1876A, B, C, G, H; 1877F; (Y-12)

50pf-- 1877A, B, E, F, G, H, J; 1878E (Y-14); 1896A; 1898A; 1900J; 1901A; 1902F; 1903A; (Y-15) (SR)

WANTED-- Nepoleonic Medals (JH)

Wanted-- State/City medals issued for war service (1865-1953), from the following states; Texas, Idaho, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, Delaware, Nebraska, S. Dakota, S. Carolina, Wyoming, Montana, Nevada, Arizona, Florida, Georgia. (DS)

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Wanted-- KKK material-- early tokens, medals, books, cello pins, etc. (RLW)

Wanted-- Michigan material-- Civil War store cards (R& up), tokens & medals. (RLW)

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Wanted-- 1921 Peace Silver Dollar. Also, need 1909-SVDB. (CRM)

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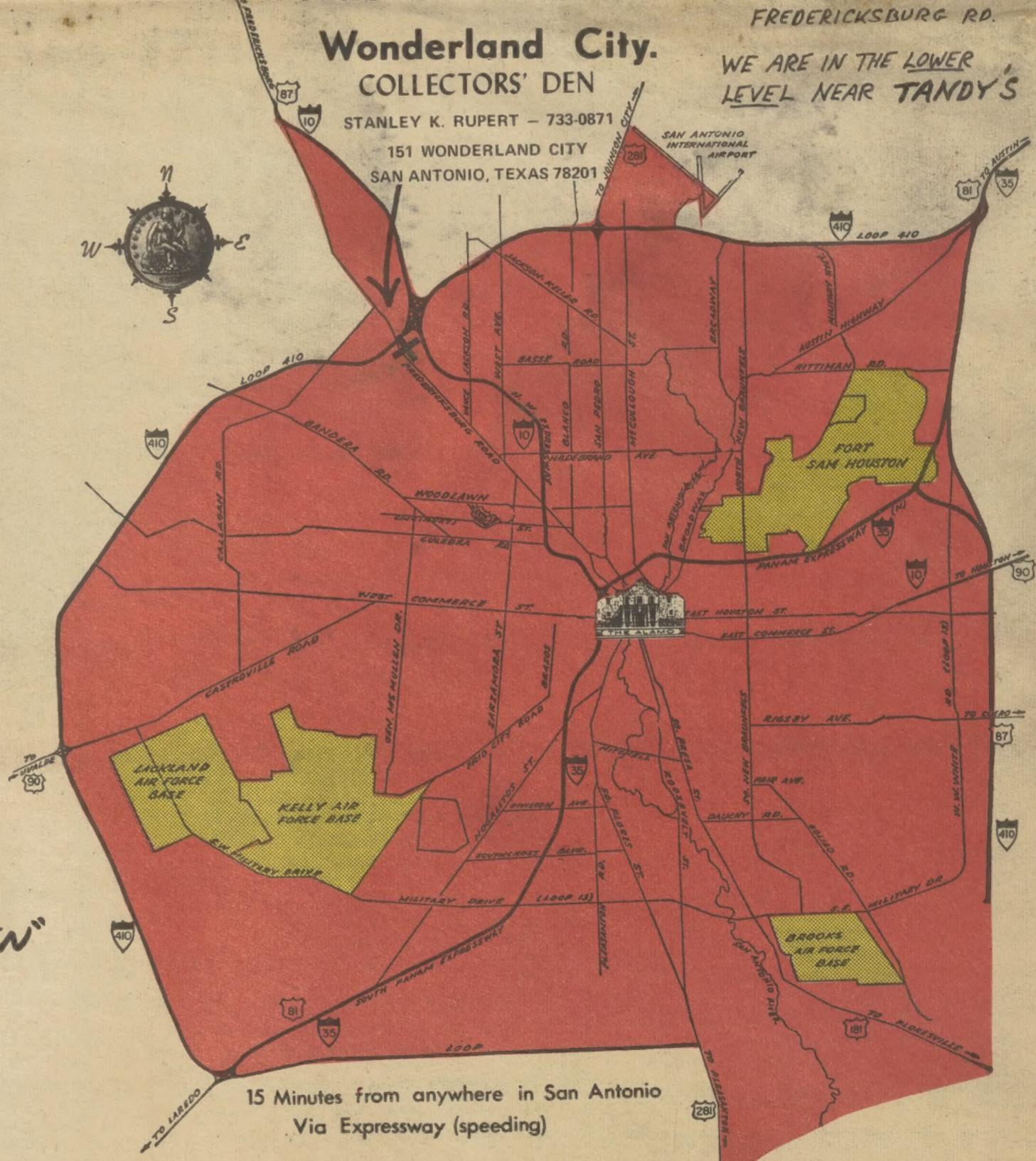
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